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LOCAL WEATHER REPORT.

YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 46 deg. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 51 deg.; clear.

TODAY: At 8 a.m. the temperature was 47 deg.; clear; no frost.

Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair; light northeast wind.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair; foggy in morning; light northwest wind.

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CUBANS AND THE TREATY.

HAVANA, Feb. 10.—The report of the Senate committee in favor of the ratification of the reciprocity treaty has been ordered printed. Beside the resolution in favor of ratification, the report recites at length the various reasons for such a treaty and the salutary effects it will have on the principal industries and on business generally. No amendments to the treaty are offered by the committee.

Land Commission Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Delegate Flynn of Oklahoma introduced a bill today providing for the appointment of a public-land commission to report on conditions and matters generally affecting the public domain, together with the present methods of acquiring title and possession of public lands.

WASHINGTON.

SPEAKER'S DOWNFALL.

Members Will Not Trust Him Now.

His Sympathies With the Trusts the Cause of Antipathy to Official Relations.

He Declares He Had Nothing to Do With Squelching the President's Plans.

White House Conference—Wishes of Chief Executive—Elkins Rebate Proposition.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] On account of his supposed connection with attempts to defeat administration plans for anti-trust legislation, Speaker Henderson has been practically deposed as Speaker of the House of Representatives, and up to the close of this session of Congress he will be permitted only to exercise the nominal powers of that high official. It has been definitely arranged that from now on Henderson will not be called into legislative conferences, nor will he be called to the White House to confer with the President regarding many important pieces of legislation that must be attended to before this Congress adjourns. Such conferences will be held exclusively with Representative Cannon, who, it is assured, will be Speaker of the House in the Fifty-eighth Congress, and he is today complete master of the House, without having been elected Speaker.

The downfall of Henderson seems to be complete and pitiful. He today declared that he had nothing whatever to do with the Rockefeller plot to squelch the President's plans for reasonable trust legislation, but so many Representatives declare that he was hostile to trust legislation that he has fatally weakened himself with the administration. It is not even hinted nor believed that Speaker Henderson has been guilty of anything more than sympathizing with the corporation. Absolutely no suggestion of wrong doing has been made by anybody in the House or out of it. But so bitter is the feeling against him that Representative Fletcher of Minnesota today declared that he would oppose giving the Speaker the customary vote of thanks at the conclusion of this session of Congress. The mere fact that such a vote is not made unanimous would be about as stinging a rebuke as ever was administered to any Speaker of the House since this government was founded.

INTERVIEW WITH SPEAKER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The Post tomorrow will publish an interview with Speaker Henderson with respect to reports current about the Capitol connecting his name with efforts to thwart anti-trust legislation and with having endeavored to have enacted a substitute for the Nelson publicity section of the Department of Commerce Bill. The reports also said Speaker Henderson would become attorney for one of the Standard Oil companies after March, when he will retire from Congress. The Speaker emphatically denied the reports. He said: "In the first place, I have never known any person or official connected with the Standard Oil Company in any way, nor do I know of such official or person now."

"And what about your alleged opposition to anti-trust legislation?" was suggested.

"There has been a lot of lying about the matter," replied the Speaker earnestly. He said he had seen the subject discussed in the newspapers. "I have all along been in favor of anti-trust legislation. I got through the House, a long time ago, the amendments to the Sherman law, which have never been completed and enacted into legislation.

"Early this session, I started out to urge legislation against trusts. It was at my suggestion, after a conference with Mr. Jenkins, chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the House, that a special sub-committee was appointed, a sub-committee of earnest sincere and independent men—to frame an anti-trust bill. They entered upon their work, and from that day was in frequent consultation with the members of that sub-committee as to the progress they were making. I talked often with Mr. Overstreet, Mr. Jenkins, Mr. Littlefield and others of the Judiciary Committee as to what was being done."

"You are in accord with whatever programme the administration wishes as to anti-trust legislation."

"Why, I have been in consultation often with the President on these matters," concluded the Speaker, "and ready to work in complete accord with them, as I have been in other matters of legislation before Congress. I was at the White House yesterday, shortly after 1 o'clock, when we discussed the programme as to the conference on the Department of Commerce Bill, which has just been accepted by the House."

WHITE HOUSE CONFERENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Discussion of anti-trust legislation was continued at the White House today. The President had several conferences with Senators and Representatives concerning pending measures, the discussion revolving about the Nelson publicity amendment to the Department of Commerce Bill, the Elkins rebate bill and the Littlefield bill, which was passed by the House Saturday.

Early in the day the President had a conference with Mr. Littlefield. The latter is urging strongly that his measure be taken up and passed by the Senate. He maintains that while the Nelson amendment provides for publicity as to some of the operations of corporations, it does not go so far as his measure, and not so far as Congress ought to go in the matter.

Later Senators Spooner and Aldrich had extended talks with the President about trust legislation. With other callers, the President discussed the subject, urging upon all, it is understood, the desirability that Congress shold enact the Nelson amendment, and the Elkins rebate measure. It is the consensus of opinion among the members of Congress that both these measure will be enacted into law, and that it is scarcely likely that Congress will go further with anti-trust legislation at the present session.

SENATE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The Senate Committee on Judiciary spent several hours today considering the trust question, with the view of recommendation of anti-trust legislation. Until 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon there was a long discussion of the publicity. Some Senators contended that this is amply provided for in the Department of Commerce Bill, and others held the contrary view. The committee will meet again Thursday.

IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

CORPORATION PEOPLE MEET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A conference of the greatest importance took place in this city today at one of the leading hotels. The men who took part in the conference were Mr. Perkins, representing J. Pierpont Morgan; Mr. Fuller, representing the tobacco trust; two leading United States Republican Senators, and a prominent Democratic Senator, who was recently elected to the next Congress.

The conference, it is declared, lasted some time, and the whole question of proposed trust legislation was gone over. The greatest secrecy, it is said, was observed in regard to the confab by the men woh took part in it. People about the hotel took pains to deny that such a conference was taking place, and men who were present at it are said to have entered the hotel by one door and left by another.

There is no doubt that the great corporations are seriously alarmed at the turn things have taken in national legislation. They are specially concerned at the effect created by the Rockefeller telegram exposure, and the explanation given by a prominent Senator that the Standard Oil Company was fighting the publicity feature of the Department of Commerce Bill holds true of other corporations. They do not want their foreign rivals to learn the secrets of their operations. They believe that their legitimate interests will be jeopardized by the passage of the pending anti-trust bills, and they will fight for what they regard as their just rights.

Today's conference would indicate that they would leave no stone unturned in order to prevent the passage by Congress of obnoxious legislation. One of the conservative Republican Senators, who is a close friend of the President, when asked today whether the anti-trust bills would become a law at this session, said: "I cannot say; in it is doubtful, in my judgment, it would be very much better for us and for the big corporations if they would keep their people away from Washington."

The President's intimates in the Senate are claiming that he will secure legislation that he wants, but even they are by no means pleased at the way the country generally has received the publication of the Rockefeller story. In fact, almost evervone in Congress condemns the publication of it. A man who has stood by the President most consistently since he entered the White House said today:

"I think the President went a little too far in permitting the Rockefeller story to be published in the official way that it was. He overstepped the mark, and I am afraid that he has succeeded in permanently alienating from himself some of the most important business interests of the country.

"It is all very well to appeal to the masses, but when it comes to running a great national campaign the masses do not pony up. They are not the people to contribute to the legitimate expenses of a campaign, and these expenses are becoming greater and greater every four years. It seems to me that the President might have been content to stand pat on his trust record without trying to crowd Congress into pushing all legislation that bears the White House Hall mark at this session. He is in for it now, and I suppose must have a fight.

"It is a nasty mix-up, which, as a friend of the President, I deeply regret. The corporations certainly have some rights that even our legislators are bound to respect. My own judgment is that a good deal of this anti-trust sentiment is manufactured, and that it will be about like free silver and other similar movements."

ELKINS REBATE BILL.

COMMITTEE AMENDS IT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce today agreed to favorably report the Elkins Anti-trust Rebate Bill, with certain amendments. The committee recommends an amendment to the last provision of section 3, striking out the words "or corporation," so the provision will read: "But no person shall be prosecuted or subjected to any penalty or forfeiture on account of any transaction, matter or thing concerning which he may testify to produce evidence, documentary or otherwise, in such proceedings."

The committee proposed that section 3 be further amended by the addition of the following provision:

"And provided: that the provisions of 'An act to expedite the hearing and determination of suits in equity pending or hereafter brought under the act of July 2, 1890, entitled an act to protect commerce against unlawful restraints and monopoly, in an act to regulate commerce, approved April 4, 1887, or any other acts having a like purpose that may be hereafter enacted, approved February —, 1903,' shall apply to any case prosecuted under the direction of the Attorney-General in the name of the Interstate Commerce Commission."

THE PRESIDENT'S WISH.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—In order that the administration's anti-trust programme of legislation may be rendered entirely symmetrical, it is known that the President desires that what is called the Elkins Rebate Bill shall be enacted into law. During several days the President has been conferring, as opportunity afforded, with prominent members of the House about the rebate bill, and the subject was considered last night at a conference at the White House between the President and several leaders of the House. The President has also had a conference with Speaker Henderson concerning the bill. It is understood that while the Speaker is not wholly in sympathy with the measure, he will not stand in the way of its consideration by the House. Indeed, it can be stated upon excellent authority that the Speaker and Committee on Rules, of which he is ex-officio head, will authorize, if necessary, a special rule providing for the consideration of the bill after it has been reported by Mr. Hepburn's committee. Such action, it is asserted, practically would mean the passage of the measure by the House and its enactment into law.

GENERAL STAFF BILL.

CONFEREES AGREE THEREON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The conferees on the Army General Staff Bill reached an agreement today. The retirement provision is eliminated, as it is a part of the Army Appropriation Bill. The section making the chief of artillery a member of the general staff is agreed to, with a provision that he must be appointed and confirmed by the Senate as a brigadier-general.

The number of brigadier-generals of the line is reduced to fourteen, so that the whole number shall be only fifteen. The provision that the chief of staff shall be under the direction of the Secretary of War by direction of the President is retained, as also that provision which makes the act go into effect August 15, 1903, when Gen. Miles retires.

STATEHOOD COMPROMISE.

BOTH WINGS GET TOGETHER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Both Statehood wings of the Republican party seem to have reached an agreement along the lines predicted last week, for the admission of two States, and to make one of these of New Mexico and Arizona and the other of Oklahoma and Indian Territory. The compromise plan providing for the admission of New Mexico now, and of Arizona when it reaches a certain population and before that date, if Congress changes its mind, has been abandoned. The Republican policy will be two States or none.

The Democrats are trying to decide what attitude they had better take with this alternative presented to them. They realize that the bon of Statehood may be immediately accorded to the Far Southwest, if they accept the compromise, and that it will be considerably delayed if they do not. They also realize that they may be accepting four Senators, when, if they would hold out a little longer, they might find a way of getting six or eight. In any event, the Statehood deadlock has collapsed. The Republican party has got together once more, and it knows its own mind. Mr. Quay attributes his defeat largely to the influence of the President.

ROOT NOT TO RESIGN.

WAR SECRETARY HAS PLANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The story set in circulation at the Union League Club since Secretary Root's recent visit, that he is to resign March 4, has no foundation whatever. Certain plans now in contemplation by the Secretary would put his retirement at that time completely out of the question. That he will stay in his present position through all the rest of the President's term is unlikely, and events now beyond forecast may cause his stay to be cut short, but it is not a question of a few weeks or even a few months, so far as Secretary Root himself can now look ahead.

"NO FOUNDATION FOR IT."

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—"There is no foundation for the story," declared Secretary Root today, referring to the publication of a rumor in New York that he will resign his position in the Cabinet after the adjournment of Congress.

MAY LEAVE IRISH ALONE.

CALIFORNIANS ARE LEARNING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Senator Bard, who did not call at the White House with other members of the California delegation last week to ask the appointment of Representative Woods as naval officer at San Francisco to succeed John P. Irish, saw the President today about the matter, and told the President that he stands with the other members of the delegation in asking that the change be made.

It is not known that Senator Bard or anybody else has as yet received the slightest encouragement in the belief that Col. Irish will be removed and his office given to some Republican. In fact, Senator Bard gathered from his conversation with the President today that there is remarkably strong political and personal pressure for the retention of Col. Irish, no matter who may apply for his place, and it is coming to be strongly believed here that Col. Irish has a sufficient number of friends among high Republican politicians to make it practically certain that he will keep his place.

It is believed that members of the California delegation have now said

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VENEZUELA.

PROTOCOL ACCEPTED.

Britain the First Power to Score.

Bowen Calls at British Embassy and Presents His Formal Note of Acceptance.

German and Italian Conventions Still Undergoing Revision to Conform to England's.

Monroeism Not Involved in the Stipulations With Europe—Powers That Bind.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Great Britain's protocol has been formally accepted by Mr. Bowen for Venezuela. The German and Italian conventions are still undergoing revision, but assurances are given in authoritative quarters that they eventually will be made to conform in all essential respects to that of the British Ambassador. Owing to the illness of the British Ambassador, Mr. Bowen called at the embassy today and personally signified to the Ambassador his approval of the agreement. He then presented his formal note of acceptance, and it has been cabled to the London Foreign Office.

It appears that the insertion in the German protocol of the provision for advance payment of the original $30,000 demanded of President Castro in the German ultimatum was the result of a misunderstanding on the part of the German Foreign Office of certain steps here. Through the activity of the German Minister, Baron Speck von Sternberg, this point is being cleared up.

The Italian Ambassador's instructions are such that he can make little headway until he knows what is contained in the German protocol. He, however, has made a rough draft of his convention, and it will take only a short while after the completion of the German convention for Sig. Mayor des Planches to put the finishing touches to his protocol.

Mr. Bowen has done everything possible to conclude negotiations with dispatch in order that the blockade might be raised, and he tonight expressed his belief that he was receiving in this effort the sincere support of all the negotiators. If a serious hitch shall occur at the eleventh hour, Mr. Bowen is confident that it will be through no fault of any one of the representatives of the allies here. Should the protocol of Germany and Italy, when presented to him, contain provisions not in line with those of the British, the negotiations must be prolonged until a satisfactory arrangement can be reached.

GERMANY WILL SIGN SOON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 10.—The Foreign Office officials deny that any insuperable obstacles to the signing of the German protocol at Washington exist. They add that a comparatively unimportant question of detail has been referred to Berlin, but that the signing will occur in a few days. First Great Britain's protocol will be signed, and then the protocols of Germany and Italy.

MONROEISM NOT INVOLVED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—The officials of the German Embassy here say that no new difficulties regarding the Venezuelan situation have arisen, so far as Germany is concerned. They add that what is now under discussion consists solely of the German and Italian contentions regarding the claims admitted by Venezuela, prior to the present disturbance, to be valid, and which it is contended it would be absurd to submit to The Hague court. From the commencement of the negotiations, Germany refused to arbitrate these first-line claims, and their inclusion in the protocol created a discussion which the embassy officials do not consider to be a bar to a settlement, though it causes delay.

Germany and Italy were fully satisfied with the cash guarantee, and are stipulating nothing remotely connected with Monroeism. Great Britain's first-line claims are apparently not similar to those of Germany and Italy, but these countries have the approval of the British government in their present attitude.

Some uneasiness exists regarding Minister Bowen's powers to bind the government of Venezuela. The allies have consulted the State Department at Washington on this subject, but no answer has been yet received.

DUTCH NOT INVITED.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The Hague correspondent of the Daily Telegraph declares that the rumor that the Dutch Minister of Foreign Affairs has been invited to arbitrate the Venezuelan dispute, is unfounded.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Netherlands, C. A. Canfield and wife; at the Victoria, N. Cole, Jr.; at the Westminster, Mrs. J. D. Hooker, Miss Hooker; at the Bartholdi, W. B. Noble.

SENATORS BY DIRECT VOTE.

SPRINGFIELD (Ill.) Feb. 10.—The State Senate today, by a vote of 43 to 1, adopted a joint resolution in favor of electing United States Senators by direct vote of the people.

WASHINGTON.

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their last word upon the matter, and that they will leave the President alone to make his own decision upon statements already submitted to him.

EARTHQUAKE DISTURBANCES.

REPORT BY SUPT. TITTMAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb 10.—O. H. Tittman, superintendent of the Coast and Geodetic Survey, today made the following statement concerning the earthquake disturbance:

"The earthquake reported in the press yesterday as having caused disaster in the South Seas January 13, was felt in Mexico, and it was recorded as a seismic effect at the magnetic observatories of the Coast Survey in Baldwin, Kan., and in Cheltenham, Md., as appears from reports just received.

"According to the record at Cheltenham, the tremors began at five minutes before 9 o'clock and lasted twenty minutes. According to the record at Baldwin, Kan., they began at seven minutes before 9 o'clock and ended six minutes after 9 o'clock on the evening of the 13th of January, reckoning by seventy-fifth meridian time."

PRESIDENT AND CABINET.

TALK ABOUT PHILIPPINES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The President and his Cabinet were in session for nearly an hour and a half today, but at the conclusion of the meeting it was stated that, while some matters of importance were under consideration, no decision regarding them had been reached.

Both the President and the members of the Cabinet expressed themselves as reasonably well satisfied with the situation in Congress as to anti-trust legislation. It is said that they are assured now that practically such legislation as is desired is in fair way to enactment. Secretary Root brought again to the attention of the Cabinet the necessity for legislation regarding the character of the Philippine Islands. He presented dispatches received from Gov. Taft, urging the enactment of remedial financial legislation and the efforts to obtain this legislation from Congress were discussed. As viewed by the administration, the necessity for both financial and other remedial legislation for the Philippines is very urgent. Indeed, if something of the kind is not accomplished soon there is apprehension that another rebellion may develop.

Consideration also was given to the status of the Venezuelan question. It is the belief of the President and the Cabinet that Minister Bowen will conclude with the representatives of the allies satisfactory protocols in a few days. Satisfaction was expressed that the points in controversy were to be submitted to The Hague tribunal.

The President took up with individual members of the Cabinet some routine business, but it is understood the conference developed nothing of great importance.

ASSISTANT STATE SECRETARY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Francis B. Loomis was formally installed in office as assistant Secretary of State. It has been arranged that the incoming assistant Secretary shall take up part of the important diplomatic work of the State Department at once, in conjunction with a portion of the consular business.

BANK SECURITIES BILL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The bill introduced in the Senate yesterday, authorizing the treasury to receive other securities than United States bonds from national banks, was under consideration by the Senate Committee of Finance today, but the committee adjourned until tomorrow without reaching a conclusion. Members of the committee express the opinion that the bill will be favorably reported tomorrow.

RATHBONE SUMMONED.

MUST STATE HIS CASE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Interest has been revived in the case of L. G. Rathbone, who was released from imprisonment in Cuba under the General Amnesty Act of the Cuban Congress. The Senate Committee on Relations With Cuba, of which Mr. Platt of Connecticut is chairman, last week summoned Rathbone to appear and make a statement in support of his petition for an investigation by Congress of all his acts, while Director-General of Posts in Cuba.

That petition, presented to the Senate by Mr. Teller last June, was referred to Senator Platt's committee. Since then, little has been heard of the case until a committee called upon Rathbone for a statement. Rathbone's claim is that an investigation will prove that he was "improperly tried, unjustly convicted and sentenced to unusual and severe penalties." It is not known what action the committee will take.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

CLOSING SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—SENATE.—When the Senate met today a bill was passed increasing the limit of cost of a public building at Evanston, Wyo., to $179,000. A House bill was passed permitting the town of Montrose, Colo., to enter 160 acres of land for reservoir and water purposes.

A Senate bill was passed, extending for a period of three years the time for making proof and payment for all lands taken under the desert land laws by the members of the Colorado Cooperative Colony. The Rawlins resolution regarding courts-martial cases in the Philippines was referred to the Committee on Philippines. The amendments to the bill were agreed to, and by request the bill went over until tomorrow.

The partial conference report on the bill providing for a union railroad station in the District of Columbia was offered by Mr. Gallinger. The report was agreed to. The only item in dispute is the proposed reduction on the part of the House of the amount of money to be contributed by the United States and the District of Columbia. The Senate insisted on its amendment, and Messrs. Gallinger, Dillingham and Martin were appointed conferees.

Mr. Hanna presented the conference report on the bill creating a Department of Commerce.

Mr. Quay said that, in view of the importance of the report, it should go over for a day, and be printed, in order that Senators might see what they are voting on. This suggestion was agreed to.

The Statehood Bill was then taken up, and Mr. Kean yielded the floor to Mr. Morgan, who spoke in favor of the omnibus measure. He said that the Senate had been locked in a peaceful bill blockade.

"Scarcely a ripple has appeared," he added, "to agitate anybody, but the blockade has been going on, and the time of the Senate wasted, keeping us from engaging in the discussion of a real topic that is looking up behind this matter—the trusts that have afflicted the people of the country."

He said that trust bills have been kept back, and they will be kept back until it is too late to have any discussion regarding them, and said: "We will be forced to accept a proposition that has come to us from the House, possibly without amendment, and without the opportunity of explaining our views against it." The whole world, he said, knew that the trust bill was no more than a "mush poultice to be put on the people to alleviate the pain."

The object was not to defeat the admission of the Territories as States, but something else lies behind it, for which there is no excuse. He then continued his remarks in support of the Statehood Bill. Mr. Morgan spoke for more than two hours and a half.

Mr. Cockrell presented the conference report on the Army General Staff Bill, and it was agreed to.

Mr. McComas gave notice that he would call up the eight-hour bill Thursday next. Mr. Quay said he was in sympathy with the effort to secure the speedy passage of the bill, but he would interpose the Statehood Bill to antagonize it until a day is fixed for a vote on that bill. The conference report on the bill to provide for the holding of terms of court in Utah was agreed to. The District of Columbia Appropriation Bill was then taken up.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—HOUSE—At the opening of the session of the House today, Mr. Steele of Indiana called attention to the speech of Mr. Conroy of Massachusetts, printed in the Record this morning under the general leave to print, granted on the Anti-Trust Bill. The speech dealt with the subject of Mr. Conroy's contested-election case in Massachusetts, and Mr. Steele claimed that it was a violation of the order which confined remarks to be printed to the subject of the Anti-Trust Bill. He asked that the speech be stricken from the record. As Mr. Conroy was absent, at the request of his friends the matter went over.

Sunday, February 22, was set aside for paying tribute to the memory of the late Representative Tongue of Oregon. Eulogies upon the life and public services of the late Representative Rumple of Iowa were also ordered on the same day.

Mr. Hepburn of Iowa, chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee, called up the conference report on the Department of Commerce Bill.

Mr. Richardson of Alabama, one of the conferees on the bill, to whom Mr. Hepburn yielded thirty minutes, explained his reason for declining to support the Nelson amendment, covering the Bureau of Corporations. He said he did not believe any Democrat could sustain himself by opposing everything aimed at the trusts because it was of Republican origin. But he did not believe the Nelson amendment was aimed at the trusts. He said it was a travesty upon what it claimed to be. It was, he said, an "ultra-dilutioned dose." Its purpose, he declared, was not to authorize the President to proceed against the trusts, but simply to secure information upon which he could base recommendations. This, he said, was a poor response to the bold threats which were heralded abroad that an extra session would be called unless effective legislation were enacted. It was a "pretext and a subterfuge." He called attention to the language of the amendment that information obtained by the Bureau of Corporations, "or so much thereof as the President shall direct, shall be made public."

Was that the vaunted publicity, he asked. He did not doubt the honesty of the present Executive, he said, but suppose another man more friendly to trusts should be elected. Then what would the Nelson amendment amount to? He concluded with the statement that the amendment was artistically framed to defeat what the people wanted—proper regulation of trusts.

Mr. Ball of Texas, who followed Mr. Richardson, ridiculed the programme of the administration regarding anti-trust legislation. The administration, he said, was represented as anxious to secure the passage of the Nelson and Elkins bills, and it was pretended that the Standard Oil Company was sending telegrams to prominent Senators against their passage. He did not believe it.

"I do not believe," said he, "that John D. Rockefeller or any other trust magnate has raised a protest against the homeopathic doses in those bills. They are no more harmful to trusts than would be Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup."

Mr. Mann of Illinois declared that the Nelson amendment would give to the Bureau of Corporations greater power to investigate the affairs of trusts than was sought to be conferred by any bill presented to Congress.

The House then went into committee of the whole, and entered upon the consideration of the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill. Mr. Cannon explained its provisions. It carried, he said, $78,017,929, being $8,878,432 less than the estimates, and $17,365,870 more than accounted for by $14,464,393 for rivers and harbors, and $3,000,000 recommended for the relief of distress of the people in the Philippines.

Mr. Cannon explained at considerable length the necessity for a big office building near the Capitol, and connected with it by a subway, to be erected for the accommodation of members. He said the designs had been prepared for a three-story building, to contain 400 rooms, which would cost, building and site, about $3,800,000.

The Appropriations Committee, he said, were practically agreed that such a building should be built, but no provision had been placed for the building, because it would be subject to a point of order. When he stated that notwithstanding this fact he proposed to move its insertion, his announcement was greeted with applause.

Mr. Adamson of Georgia said that while he realized the Nelson amendment was "a delusion and a snare, thinner than thin air," yet, as notice had been served that it was the only measure on the programme of the "trust busters," it would receive his vote. The previous question was then ordered, and the roll was called on the adoption of the conference report. The report was adopted—251 to 10. Those voting in the negative were: Representatives Ball of Texas, De Armond of Missouri, Fleming of Georgia, Lester of Georgia, Little of Arkansas, Reid of Arkansas, Robertson of Louisiana, Shackleford of Missouri and Vandiver of Missouri, Democrats, and Littlefield of Maine, Republican.

Mr. Cannon said that Congress should go further and complete the central body of the Capitol, in accordance with the plans which were made when the wings were built. The Capitol, he said, could be completed for $2,500,000, and both this work and the new office building could be finished in two and one-half years. There was plenty of money in the treasury, and now, he argued, was the time to do the work. If it was not authorized at this session of Congress it might be a decade before it was done.

Mr. Smith, Delegate from Arizona, secured the floor, and replied to some of the statements derogatory to Arizona, made in the Senate during the Statehood debate. He declared that the illiteracy charges were untrue, and that the "Mormon scare" was a gross exaggeration. He ridiculed the investigation of the Senate Subcommittee on Territores, which, he said, spent two days in investigation and two months in telling the Senate what they thought they learned. He declared that the outrageous misrepresentation and slander of the people of Arizona in the Senate and in the press had hurt their credit and standing.

Mr. De Armond of Missouri, in a brief but exceedingly sarcastic speech relative to the bill recently introduced by Senator Hanna to pension the ex-slaves, precipitated an interesting debate. He called the bill "a curious evidence of the prevailing trend of politics," which was "more valuable as a piece of political maneuvering than as a piece of prospective legislation."

"The introducer of the bill," he said, "announces that he is not a candidate for the Presidency, but from the same authority came the announcement that there were no trusts."

The exact facts could, he said, be balanced in the public mind after a study of both statements. The negro delegate, he said, was an important factor in Republican conventions, and there was nothing like making preparations in good time. It was an interesting game, and those not concerned could watch it with equanimity. It was a farce, he said, but still farces had their solemn aspects. And it was sobering to think of the old negroes in their cabins in the South giving up their small earnings until the time came when they would turn for relief to their natural protectors—the white people of the South.

Mr. Cannon, in reply, treated Mr. De Armond's remarks lightly, calling attention to the fact that Senator Hanna's bill had been introduced by request.

Mr. Richardson of Tennessee treated the matter very seriously. He said that companies were already being formed and circulars were being sent out to ignorant colored people by unscrupulous adventurers, and he thought both sides should join in an assurance to them not to invest their quarters and dimes in this chimerical scheme.

Mr. Cannon responded that all should understand, rich and poor, white and black, cultured and ignorant, that the government promised to all alike equality before the law and equality of opportunity, and under it each must work out his own salvation.

Mr. De Armond was not satisfied with this statement, but asked for a more specific assurance, and in reply Mr. Cannon stated with emphasis that if the ignorant were being imposed upon, they should be undeceived—that, in his judgment, no such bill could or would pass.

At the conclusion of general debate, the bill was read for amendment, under the five-minute rule. An amendment was adopted to appropriate $30,000 for a lighthouse and fog signal at Southampton Shoals, San Francisco Harbor. It was agreed that on the session Sunday, February 22, eulogies to the memory of the late Representative Moody of North Carolina should be in order. At 5:45 o'clock the House adjourned.

ACRE TROUBLE.

EXPLANATION BY BOLIVIA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—The Bolivian legation has received the following cablegram from the Minister of Foreign Affairs, dated La Paz, Bolivia, February 9:

"Inaccurate that the Brazilian government has proposed arbitration, that President Pando has refused, answering by sending troops as only way to settle dispute, as affirmed by a cablegram from Rio Janeiro, published by the press. Baron de Rio Branco proposed exchange of territories verbally. Negotiations were at this point; President Pando, learning untenable situation and that the revolutionists were invading the Orton region, committing depredations, decided to go, taking advantage of the expedition already prepared at great sacrifice, expense in launches, etc. This act of defense against revolutionists, which is in no way an aggression on Brazil, was followed by the declaration of Baron de Rio Branco that the Acre territory was litigious and ordering the Federal troops to take possession of it.

[Signed] "ELIODORO VILLASON."

WILL GIVE IT PRECEDENCE.

CULLOM AND CANAL TREATY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Cullom, chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations, said today that he had decided to give the Panama Canal treaty preference when an executive session long enough to consider any of the pending treaties can be secured, for the reason that the option of the United States in the franchises and other canal property of the French Panama Canal Company, expires March 4, and because of the announced determination of Senator Morgan to talk at length on the treaty.

Mr. Cullom said he would move an executive session to take up the treaties as soon as the consent of the advocates of the Statehood Bill can be obtained. They are still in a position to prevent executive sessions of any length which would prevent discussion on the Statehood Bill.

CHARGED WITH SWINDLING.

John Horthy of Louisville Arrested in the City of Mexico for Defrauding a Farmer.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CITY OF MEXICO (Mex.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John Horthy of Louisville was arrested last evening by an American detective, but another man, supposedly his brother, has escaped arrest so far. They came here some weeks ago and have lived ostentatiously.

Horthy is charged with swindling a Louisville farmer out of his farm, worth $100,000. They paid him $5000 as guarantee, obligating themselves to pay thereafter $25,000 per month. They immediately mortgaged the property to a third party for $70,000 and fled to Mexico. The Louisville farmer, finding himself victimized, employed detectives with the above result.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Rain began falling tonight, and according to the weather man, umbrellas will be needed until tomorrow noon, when clearing and colder weather is predicted, the wind to blow briskly from the southwest. A maximum temperature of 48 deg. at 10 p.m. and a minimum of 33 deg. at 3 a.m., with a brisk wind veering from south to southwest, made the day very much on the spring order. Rain rules in the lower lake region and Central Mississippi Valley. In the Northwest, the temperature is above the freezing point and clear weather prevails. Temperatures at 7 a.m.: New York, Philadelphia, 30; Boston and Minneapolis 28; Washington, 26; Chicago, 34; Cincinnati, 32; St. Louis, 38.

BURIED IN WEDDING GOWN.

Helen Murphy, No. 420 North Park avenue, Austin, will be buried tomorrow, the day she had selected for her marriage to Edward Fitch, in her wedding garments. About a week ago she and her fiancé made a tour of Austin, looking at houses and flats and planning for the future, and she contracted an illness which brought on pneumonia, and death resulted.

WEDDING TAKES PLACE.

Miss Eva Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Bennett of Austin, was married tonight to Dudley Taylor. The bride wore white silk, trimmed in Duchesse lace. The couple will visit southern winter resorts.

BREAKING ICICLES ALOFT.

Men suspended by wire cables one hundred feet from the street attracted the attention of pedestrians in Jackson boulevard today. They were engaged in the perilous feat of breaking icicles from the Board of Trade building.

TAX UNMARRIED MEN.

Miss Katherine Goggin and Miss Margaret Hailey of the Chicago Teachers' Federation are advocating a bill to be introduced in the Illinois Legislature, taxing each unmarried man in the State $4.25. A meeting will be held Thursday night, at which a campaign will be launched. The agitators declare the sterner sex should pay for single bliss.

LOGGING-CAMP ATTRACTIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HOUGHTON (Mich.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There is such a scarcity of men in the logging district that all sorts of inducements are offered to keep employés in the mood to remain. Phonographs, gramophones, music boxes and other attractions have been introduced, and in one camp a piano has been installed and regular dances are given for the men.

MARRIAGE FOLLOWS ROMANCE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ANN ARBOR (Mich.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John Bradfield, a senior medical student, and Miss Blanche Elliott, both of Logansport, Ind., were married today. It is said the marriage is the sequel to a romance that culminated at the recent junior hop.

BUILT ELECTRIC LINE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LA PORTE (Ind.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The syndicate which is draining and reclaiming thousands of acres of land in the Kankakee region has decided to build an electric line from Bloomington to Joliet.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SHEBOYGAN (Mich.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] J. G. End, who was a candidate for State Treasurer before the last Wisconsin State Republican Convention and was supported by Gov. La Follette, has filed a petition in bankruptcy at Milwaukee, with liabilities of $62,000 and assets of $77,000. Chicago creditors secured the appointment of a receiver.

ANTI-TOBACCO CRUSADE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OCONTO (Wis.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The School Board started a crusade on the use of tobacco by students, and announces that any pupil using the weed in any form will be expelled. Dealers who sell tobacco to minors will be prosecuted.

FIRE DESTROYING BREMEN.

COLUMBUS (O.) Feb. 11.—A fire destroyed the town of Bremen, forty-five miles south of Columbus, late last night. At 2:15 it was reported here that only two stores and a schoolhouse remained in the business section. Lancaster was appealed to for help. Bremen has a population of 1600.

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Drs. Sargent and Gibbons, witnesses for the defense, testified that in their opinion the operation performed upon the deceased by Dr. W. Winterburg of San Francisco would have resulted fatally in a man well and uninjured, though both admitted on cross-examination that Miller's injury was a dangerous one.

REBUKES JURY.

DISCHARGES MORBIO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Coroner Leland and the jury he empaneled to take evidence at the inquisition held recently in the matter of the death of Mary Nelson, a young Swedish servant girl, who was accidentally asphyxiated at the home of P. A. Morbio, were officially rebuked today by Police Judge Mogan. The Coroner's jury having returned a verdict censuring Mr. Morbio for carelessness in allowing a defective gas connection to remain in his house, the Coroner directed Deputy Fennell to swear to a complaint charging Morbio with wilful manslaughter.

Judge Mogan dismissed the case, expressing sorrow that the defendant had been haled into court on such evidence as was adduced at the inquest.

LAND GRABBERS.

MINERS UP IN ARMS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—The committee of miners from Placer county who formed an organization to protest against the seizure of valuable mineral lands in that county, under the claim that it was timber land has been in Sacramento, accompanied by J. M. Fullweiler of Auburn, an attorney. The committee went before United States Land Register Armstrong and made protest against the issuance of patents to the parties, who are alleged to be acting in the interests of others.

Register Armstrong says that he expects to act on the protests within a few days, and that then the matter will be set for hearing.

The people of Placer county are greatly exercised over the attempted raid on their lands.

WITNESS LULU WILSON.

STILL FIRM IN SILENCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Five days' incarceration in the branch County Jail has failed to alter the determination of Mrs. Mamie Lind, alias Lulu Wilson, who recently declined to testify against former Policeman Ernest Alexander. When asked by the District Attorney to answer a question this morning she was ready and in waiting with a legal explanation as to her refusal. She said that to answer any questions would tend to degrade her, and that since she had become a respectable woman and had gone to live with her husband and child, she would rely upon the provision of the statute protecting witnesses in her plight. She was remanded to the custody of the Sheriff.

OFF FOR HONDURAS.

ADMIRAL GLASS'S SQUADRON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—All the warships in Admiral Glass's squadron started from this port for Honduras today. With the New York are the Boston, Marblehead and Ranger.

On the New York there was a small fire in the paymaster's cabin yesterday afternoon. It was easily extinguished, only part of the woodwork in one room being destroyed. Somebody dropped a cigarette into a waste basket and started the blaze.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Editor Trume in Trouble.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 10.—John Trume, editor of the Daily Record Miner of Juneau, is confronted with the charge of sedition. In a controversy growing out of the attempt of Judge M. C. Brown to put a stop to gambling, the Miner has freely criticised the jurist. Judge Brown has now appointed a committe of the leading members of the bar to investigate the utterances of the editor and to present their findings to the court.

New Meat-packing Company.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 10.—The Columbia Packing Company was incorporated here yesterday with a capital stock of $750,000. The company will erect a large meat-packing establishment near this city. Eastern capital is behind the concern.

Bullet Through His Brain.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Ernest Thomas, a lodging-house keeper, ended his life last night by putting a bullet through his brain. He had been in ill-health for some time, and this is supposed to have led up to his act.

Promise to Push Matter.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—President Sharboro of the Manufacturers and Producers' Association of California is in receipt of letters from Senator Perkins and Congressman Kahn in response to the petition made by this association that provision be made in the agricultural bill now pending in Congress for the establishment in this State of viticultural stations to investigate the needs of the viticultural industry, and dangers threatening it. The letters referred to indicate that a strong effort will be made by Senators Perkins and Congressman Kahn to secue the appropiation required for this purpose.

Fell Under the Wheels.

REDDING, Feb. 10.—Either as the result of suicidal motive, or a peculiar accident, a middle-aged man lost his life on the Terry Lumber Company Railroad near Palo Cedro this morning. The man, roughly dressed, was walking along the track ahead of the approaching train. He stepped aside on the embankment, apparently to let the cars pass. As the locomotive came along he either threw himself or fell under the wheels, and was instantly killed. The body was terribly mutilated. Several people who witnessed the fatality are inclined to the belief that the stranger deliberately threw himself under the wheels, seeking death.

Booker for Forgery.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—J. C. McCullough, alias John Connolly, alias Redmond, formerly a section foreman of the Southern Pacific, with headquarters at Stockton, was booked at the city prison today on a charge of forgery. He was arrested by a ruse at Date Creek, Ariz., where he was working for the Santa Fé company. He is accused of forging pay orders on the Southern Pacific.

Saloon-closing Ordinance.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 10.—Mayor Worsdick today signed the ordinance closing all saloons and restaurants where liquor is sold, from 1 a.m. until 6 a.m. It becomes operative at once.

Reprieve for Ross.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—The Governor today reprieved Bert Ross, who was to be hanged on the 16th of February, to the 16th of April. This was done, owing to the fact that an appeal in his case is now before the Supreme Court of the United States.

Mrs. Barrie Released.

OAKLAND, Feb. 10.—Mrs. Eliza A. Barrie, who had been confined for four months in Dr. J. W. Robertson's insane asylum at Livermore, was released today upon the order of Superior Judge Ogden, who heard the habeas corpus proceedings. It was alleged that Mrs. Barrie had been taken from her home by her husband.

Another Tong War Victim.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—The tong war that has been on the past six weeks in Chinatown had another victim today. Ah Nong, a farm laborer who arrived in the city a few days ago from Antioch, was shot and possibly fatally wounded this afternoon in the joss house of the Nong family at No. 1018 Stockton street. Ah Nong had just entered the place when there came a fusillade of shots, and he fell with three bullets in his body.

Find Isom Insane.

MODESTO, Feb. 10.—Daniel Isom, who shot City Marshal R. D. Young on Christmas eve, while the officer was attempting his arrest, was today declared insane by a jury in the Superior Court. Young has recovered. Dr. Hoisholt, of the Stockton Asylum for the Insane, testified that Isom is not insane. Isom's attorney entered a plea of insanity.

Big Snow Slide.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 10.—Early this morning a show slide, the biggest that has happened this season, occurred on the Great Northern Railroad between Leavenworth and the Cascade tunnel, which stalled all traffic for twenty-four hours. The slide was about four hundred feet in length and parts of the track were buried forty feet.

Carnegie Ready to Give.

VISALIA, Feb. 10.—Mayor Levinson today received a letter from Andrew Carnegie stating that ten thousand dollars would be donated for a public library building in Visalia, if that city would by resolution of the Council set apart at least $1000 per annum for the maintenance of said library.

Unpopular New Charter.

SANTA CRUZ, Feb. 10.—The election today resulted in the defeat of the new charter; 799 votes were cast, 198 in favor and 601 against.

Fresno and the Capitol.

FRESNO, Feb. 10.—The sentiment of Fresno on the subject of making a bid for having the State capital located here was expressed by a mass meeting of citizens tonight as being against the removal of the capital from Sacramento, but if the capital must be moved, then Fresno wants it.

GRAVE ROBBERY CASE.

Efforts to Weaken Force of the State's Evidence Against Dr. Alexander—Defendant on Stand.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Feb. 10.—Today's session of the trial of Dr. Alexander, charged with grave robbery, opened with the testimony of Jacob Kurtz, a city detective, who was formerly the turnkey at the County Jail. He corroborated Dr. Anderson's testimony that Cantrell telephoned October 18 from the jail to Dr. Alexander's office.

Joseph A. Kahler, manager for the local branch of R. G. Dun & Co.'s commercial agency, was a character witness.

E. G. Groenwoldt, a brother-in-law of Alexander, testified that he drove to Broad Ripple with the defendant one night in August in a rig rented at the Stable De Horse. This testimony was given to support the evidence brought out in the trial several days ago that Dr. Alexander and a man unknown to the liveryman had left the stable late one night in August, and returned early in the morning. Dr. H. M. Lash, a specialist, was asked for his opinion as to Cantrell's sanity.

"I would consider the man of unsound mind," said Dr. Lash.

As the conviction of other alleged ghouls is said to depend largely upon Cantrell's testimony, the question as to his mental condition is causing much comment.

Dr. Alexander took the stand. He appeared pale, but not ill at ease, and spoke in a low but clear tone. He was graduated March 25, 1895, from the Indiana College, and opened an office in this city. He testified that he tended bar, and kept the books for a time in his uncle's saloon. He was arrested at one time while in the saloon business, he said, on the charge of selling liquor after hours, but was acquitted.

The "Poland Water Book."

Hiram Ricker & Sons, the owners of the celebrated Poland Spring in Maine, have published a very interesting little book containing facts about Poland Water, its properties, its uses and its cures. Since its discovery many remarkable cures have been recorded, among them Bright's disease, albuminuria, diabetes, uric acid, diathesis, inflammation of kidneys and bladder, fevers and stomachic disorders. Send 2-cent stamp. H. Jevne, Los Angeles Cal.—[Adv.

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It is said that Guatemala has 8000 men on the frontier.

The Honduran government has sent troops to various points to help the President of Honduras, Gen. Bonilla. President Zelaya of Nicaragua and General Regalado of Salvador are with Gen. Sierra will not allow any of the Honduran Congress. Senator Alvarado Guerrero, one of Sierra's ministers, has left him to join President-elect Bonilla, who has organized his government at Amapala Island.

The origin of the present conflict is the opposition of President Cabrera of Guatemala to the intervention of Salvador and Nicaragua in favor of Gen. Sierra.

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NEWS TO ZELAYA.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MANAGUA (Nicaragua) Feb. 10.—President Zelaya of Nicaragua has not heard of the reported proclamation of war against Honduras and Salvador by Guatemala. The revolution in Honduras is expected to be soon quelled. Salvador and Nicaragua have taken precautionary measures in the protection of their frontiers. Nicaragua until now has remained neutral.

FORGED MORGAN'S NAME TO BILLS.

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[illegible], Feb. 11.—[By Atlantic Cable.] According to the Daily Chronicle [illegible] for over $55,000 each, have been given by J. Pierpont Morgan for purchases made in London, which were sent to New York for collection, have just been returned with information that the signatures were forged.

It is reported that many more such bills have been circulated in the London market. The origin of the forgeries has not yet been discovered.

LABOR.

HARD SHOTS FOR UNION.

Findings Asked by Lawyer John T. Lenahan.

Able Argument in Behalf of the Non-Union Miners.

Rioters Fill Streets of Cadiz—Voluntary Raise of Wages. Engineers' Demands.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—President Baer of the Reading company was an attentive listener to the arguments presented today before the Anthracite Coal Strike Commission. The non-union miners, through Attorney John T. Lenahan of Wilkesbarre, expressed their disapproval of the principles and practices of the United Mine Workers.

Lenahan, in his argument, presented three propositions. He submitted that the commission must find the United Mine Workers responsible for the violence and other unlawful acts which deprived the non-union miners of their lawful right to work; that all authorities agree that the law guarantees to every many the right to work where, when and for whom he pleases and that nothing could justify a finding by the commission that non-union miners must deal with their employers through the medium of the union, or be subject in the slightest degree to the control or dictation of the union.

After presenting these propositions, Lenahan said in part:

"It follows as a necessary conclusion from admitting the principle that non-union miners must be permitted to work without unlawful interference from fellow-workmen, that they must not be made to deal with their employers through the medium of the union. In the eyes of the law, no distinction can exist between union and non-union laborers. They simply are fellow-servants of a common employer. The majority may make such secret agreements among themselves as they please. But such agreements cannot affect the rights of the minority, no matter how small it may be. There can be no such thing as the majority rule among fellow-workmen in a common employment. It is the admitted right of a majority of stockholders in a corporation to dictate the policy of the company, even though contrary to the wishes of some stockholders, who might thereby suffer loss. But all the servants of one master remain individuals under our law, and yield nothing of their rights to a majority of their coemployés.

"How, then, could it be possible for this commission to admit the right of the United Mine Workers to contract on behalf of non-union employés with a common employer? If it were possible, is it likely that non-union miners would receive fair treatment at the hands of those embittered by prejudice and anxious to monopolize all the positions they hold? As is well known, there are diametrical differences of opinion on many subjects apparently affecting their common interests between union and non-union men in all occupations. The rules of trades unions are framed on the principle not merely of dictation by the majority to the minority among fellow-employés of one employer, but of such dictation by the majority of all workmen engaged in a particular occupation.

"The freedom of the individual to work only according to the dictates of his own interests are made subservient to the supposed good of the greatest number. We agree that the law does not prohibit such combinations, or rules, when voluntarily accepted. What we deny is that any workman can be coerced into accepting them. When this is done directly, or indirectly, he is deprived of that liberty of action which the law guarantees to him. The union presents as one of its essential claims before this commission a demand that the mine owners shall accept the union as the representatives of the miners, and fix the rights of both union and non-union miners by conceding its demands. We deny this right, and earnestly protest that it cannot be conceded by the commission without a distinct and deliberate violation of the law."

MINE WORKERS' WEAPONS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 10.—James H. Torrey, counsel for the Delaware and Hudson Company claimed that the question of recognition of the union was not an issue before the commission but he devoted much time to the consideration of the demand. He asserted that violence and intimidation were agencies selected for the the promotion of the purposes of the mine workers. Regarding the demand for an eight-hour working day, Torrey said the evidence showed that for various reasons the breakers did not average more than eight hours a day so that the physical effects of long hours were not felt.

Maj. Everett Warren, counsel for the Hillside Coal and Iron Company and the Pennsylvania Coal Company answered the demands of the miners in detail, and declared the socialistic theories of the union or some of its leaders, to be responsible for unreasonable claims.

ABRUPT END OF STRIKE.

SUBMITTED TO ARBITRATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—The strike of the elevator men and janitors in a number of office buildings of Chicago, came to an end tonight, and the men will return to work in the morning. The abrupt finish of the strike was unexpected, and was brought about by the Managers' Association receding from the position it had taken in refusing to submit its case to the Chicago Board of Arbitration.

It was alleged by the managers that a majority of the men on this board are friendly to the teamsters, who have been allies of the elevator men in the strike, and that their case would be prejudiced. They wished a different set of arbitrators. They announced tonight that they had become convinced that they would receive fair treatment by the board, and agreed to submit the case. The men declared two days ago that they were willing to abide by the decision of the board. The teamsters have agreed to supply the buildings which were running short of fuel with coal in the morning, and all chance for trouble has come to an end, for the time being at least.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Maccabees, Attention, No. 6!

You are requested to attend the funeral of the late Sir Knight P. F. Huston, Thursday, February 12, at 10 a.m., at undertaking parlors of R. Sharp & Son, No. 403 South Spring. All Maccabees invited. By order

A. WRIGHT, Commander.

Attest: GEO. GARDNER, R.K.

A POSSIBILITY

That Became a Fact and Pleases Many Bald People.

A. R. Lewis, M. D., in a lengthy article in the columns of the American Journal of Health, says, concerning hair: "Its deterioration is a constant source of worriment to humanity, consequently bald people are readily deceived by 'fake' hair restoratives. The wish that a hair preparation will 'fill the bill' is father to the fancy that it is likely to do so. A rare case in point is that of Newbro's Herpicide, which actually does 'fill the bill.' It destroys the parasite that attacks the hair root, and prevents dandruff, falling hair and baldness."

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

ALL SAVED FROM WRECK.

Thrilling Experience of a Party of Tourists.

Steamer Madiana Strikes a Reef and is Total Loss.

Calmness of Officers Prevents Panic—Hours of Suspense—Final Rescue.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HAMILTON (Bermuda) Feb. 10.—The Quebec Steamship Company's steamer Madiana, Capt. Fraser, which sailed from New York last Saturday, with a party of excursionists, for a special cruise around the Caribben Islands, went ashore on the reef off this island at 3 o'clock this morning. The passengers had a thrilling experience.

The ship is a total loss, but all on board were rescued, and brought safely to land after a perilous trip in lifeboats from the wreck to a tug standing a mile off. The mails and passengers' baggage also were saved.

According to statements made by those on board, the Madiana was threading her way in the night through the narrow channel between the coral reef which leads to Hamilton Harbor, when she struck a reef one and a half miles northeast of North Rock. No explanation is yet forthcoming as to how the vessel went on the reeks, and the only information obtainable from the officers is that the light which indicates the channel could not be seen.

All the passengers were in their bunks when the Madiana struck the rocks, but the shock of the impact awakened them, and they rushed on deck, the majority of them without attempting to dress. Much alarm, though not a panic, prevailed among the passengers when they found that the vessel was hard on the rocks, but the officers went among them and calmed them, although a number did not venture below again to seek their clothing. A part of the crew did not share the coolness of the officers, but the latter soon restored order among the troublesome seamen.

Signals of distress were sent up, and the passengers had an anxious time during the latter part of the night. The Madiana listed heavily after a time, and when morning broke lay broadside to the wind. The passengers were huddled together on the hurricane deck, and the water drenched them to the skin. As soon as the news of the wreck reached here, government and other tugs proceeded to the scene to endeavor to render assistance. A heavy sea, however, was running, and they dared not approach too closely to the reef on which the Madiana was pounding. For some time no communication with the Madiana was possible. The tug Gladiffen stood about a mile off, awaiting an opportunity, to assist, but it was not until 11 a.m. that it became possible to effect a rescue. The crew of the Madiana launched a boat, but it could not live in the sea then running, and was dashed to pieces against the steamer's side. A second and more successful attempt was made a little later, and some of the passengers were lowered into it. The Madiana's other lifeboats were then launched in succession, and the remainder of the passengers and the captain and crew gained the salvage tug in safety.

By the prompt action of Engineer Nelson, who had the Madiana's bulkheads broken through, the mail and passengers' light baggage were taken out, and brought in the last boats of the Gladiffen, which landed the passengers, crew, mail and baggage here this afternoon.

Joseph Krofut of Hartford, Ct., one of the passengers, was interviewed by the Associated Press correspondent. He said:

"I was in my bunk when the shock of the steamer's stranding awoke me. I rushed on deck, being the first passenger to reach it. The other passengers streamed up from below immediately afterward. There was no confusion among the officers or the passengers. The officers faced the situation cooly and quickly reassured the passengers. The crew, who were mostly foreigners, became disorderly at first, but discipline was soon restored. Finding that the center of the ship was firmly fixed between two rocks, and that there was no immediate danger of her breaking up, the passengers gained confidence.

"Later we saw the tug Gladiffen approaching. She lay about a mile off, not being able to come nearer on account of the heavy sea. At about 11 o'clock, one of the Madiana's boats was lowered, but before any one could get into it, it was smashed to bits. The ship's other boats were then launched with better success. The passengers were attached to ropes, the women first of all, and lowered into the lifeboats. It was a dangerous journey to the Gladiffen. The boats' crews had to pull through heavy seas, but no mishap occurred, and we were all safely embarked on the Gladiffen. The officers and the remainder of the crew, with some of the passengers' light baggage, followed us. The wreck was abandoned, and we were landed here."

SACRAMENTO.

COLD DEAL FOR STANTON.

'Phone Resolution Hangs in the Committee.

Majority of Members are Opposed to an Investigation.

Bills to Abolish the Barber Commission—Pay for the National Guardsmen.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Stanton's resolution calling for a nice little junket by a select committee for the ostensible purpose of investigating the business of the Sunset Telephone Company in Los Angeles, San Francisco and other cities, is practically dead. There will be no investigation. This is the opinion of the members of the Committee on Corporations which has the resolution in charge. In that committee Stanton has the support of only one other member, and he would like to let go.

The matter came up today at a meeting of the committee, and because of the presence of Charles M. Seeley, manager for the company in Los Angeles, it was expected that there would be a hot time. The session, on the contrary, was very tame. True, Stanton did not have time to present all that he said he wanted to introduce, but Seeley's explanations brought the majority of the committee to the conclusion that no investigation is needed, and if one were ordered that it would be practically without result. The committee took no final action, but postponed further hearing until some time next week. By that time it will be too late in the session to think of sending away any committee on a trip which might cost the State several thousand dollars, and incidentally be nice picking for those who composed the special committee.

One of the acts of Stanton today was taken as a direct affront by other members of the committee. He had secured a petition signed by more than 200 Los Angeles people requesting that his resolution be passed. It was circulated in Los Angeles by one Van Alstein, and then sent to Stanton, who introduced it, not in the committee, but in the assembly, and secured an order that it be printed in the journal, thus making an official record of his side of the matter and leaving the other side no such opportunity. This the committee did not like, and they plainly said that it was not fair treatment to the committee, or to the other side, but the order had been issued and could not be rescinded.

Seeley told the committee of the amazing growth of Los Angeles, and of the efforts of the company to keep up with that growth. He explained fully the wages paid, and displayed photographs of the telephone company's plant. In response to a question, he said that if the Legislature sent a committee of five men to Los Angeles to investigate it would take two or three weeks for them to learn enough about the intricate workings of the company to make an intelligent report.

As an offset to Stanton's petition, Chairman Allen read sixty or more telegrams from business men in Los Angeles saying that since the new switchboard had been installed the service had vastly improved, and that they were satisfied. Among these telegrams was one from W. J. Rouse, former business manager of the Herald, in which that sentiment was expressed. When this was read, Stanton produced a telegram from Hardison, in which it was stated that Rouse had sent the message on his own responsibility.

"That shows how much there is in that telegram," exclaimed Stanton. "The man who sent it has since been fired from the Herald."

Seeley at once took issue with this statement, and told the committee that he knew that Rouse had resigned. Just before the session was concluded, Rolley, one of the members of the committee, asked Seeley whether he knew if Stanton was interested in the opposition company in Los Angeles.

"No," was the reply; "I can't say as to Stanton, but I know that there is a man in his office who is interested in that company."

This caused a storm for a moment, but Chairman Allen ruled that the matter was not germane to the question at issue.

It was easy to see that Seeley's candid explanations of the difficulties under which the company has been laboring impressed the committee with his sincerity, and their refusal to take Stanton's proposition to report the matter back to the Assembly without recommendation, indicated that if it is ever reported it will be with the recommendation that it be withdrawn, or but if be voted down. Stanton has not given up the fight, but his warmest supporters now say that his resolution is practically dead.

GO AFTER VOGELSANG.

SEVERE CRITICISM OF HIM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It was openly charged on the floor of the Assembly this afternoon, that Fish Commissioner Vogelsang had been willfully neglecting his duty; that he had not been doing what he is paid to do, but instead, had been spending his time in Sacramento, trying to influence members of the Legislature to vote for some of his pet measures.

These charges were made during the course of the discussion of the Cossins fish and game bill, which had passed the Senate, and come into the Assembly for passage there. There had been a fight in the upper house, and the fact that Vogelsang has been lobbying for the measure is notorious. In the Assembly today, several of the members endeavored to amend the bill, but so well had been done the work of those who supported the bill, that had it been decided in caucus not to amend the bill, the efforts of those who wanted it amended would not have been more futile.

McMartin was the first member to make an attack upon the Fish Commissioner. He asserted that Vogelsang would serve the people better by enforcing the laws, instead of remaining here trying to influence members of the Legislature as to how they should vote. He thought things had come to a pretty pass, when a State employé could thus brazenly tell the members what they should do.

Soward of Sierra was the next to take a crack at the Fish Commissioner. He mentioned no names, but everybody knew whom he meant. "There has been a man here throughout this session," said he, "who is paid well by the State to enforce the game laws. All he has done this year has been to lobby, lobby, lobby, while it is a well-known fact that the game laws are being disregarded in this very city. He is here using his influence to thwart the wishes of the people, and I tell you it is not right."

Prescott saved Vogelsang from a further roasting from that source, by making the point of order that the speaker was not addressing himself to the question under discussion, but a moment later Dougherty took up the cudgel and applied it to the Fish Commissioner with equal vigor.

"When I came here," said he, "I had the idea we were sent here to serve the wishes of the people, but instead I find the Fish Commissioner here doing what—not his duty for which he is paid, not attending to his own business; but instead, trying to influence members not to do what the people want. But for his efforts, the State would be divided into fish and game districts as the people demand."

These statements had no effect upon the Assembly, however, for the bill was promptly passed.

BARBER COMMISSION.

BILLS TO ABOLISH IT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Corney Pendleton's Barber Commission is indeed in serious trouble. Yesterday the Senate decided that it must be investigated, and today, in both houses, bills were introduced to repeal the law under which it exists. In the Senate the bill was introduced by the Committee on Commissions, Retrenchment and Reform, and in the Assembly McMartin of San Francisco fathered a similar measure.

An additional blow was struck at the Pendleton board by McMartin. Pendleton had secured the passage in the Senate of a bill amending the barbers' bill, and giving the board greater powers. This bill was up for final passage in the Assembly today, and McMartin had it re-referred to the Committee on Commissions and Public Expenditures. He declared that he has the backing of nearly every barber in San Francisco to secure a repeal of the law, because the board does the barbers no good and causes them needless expense. Now it is proposed to charge each of them $1 more per year for renewals of certificates, and the barbers do not see why they should be so taxed to pay for a purely decorative commission.

It is to be expected that Pendleton will exercise every possible pull to save the official scalps of the board which has made him an honorary member.

GUARDSMEN WHO ENLISTED.

BILL FOR THEIR RELIEF.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Prescott of Redlands introduced a bill today providing that the State shall pay what is due from the government to members of the National Guard of California for the services they rendered between the time they assembled and the time they were mustered into the military service of the United States. Congress provided for this payment, but set a limit on the time within which the claims should be filed, with the result that many of the soldiers who were in the Philippines did not have an opportunity to present their claims.

Prescott's bill provides that $35,000 shall be appropriated for the purpose, and all the claims paid. Then the State shall make a claim against the government. The effect of this would be to have the State shoulder the claims, and endeavor to collect, thus relieving the soldier of the cost and trouble of prosecuting his claim individually.

SAVE THEIR FEES.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATORS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Assembly today refused passage to Senator Hahn's bill, restricting the powers of the public administrators throughout the State. This is a similar bill to that introduced in the Assembly by Goodrich, and about which there has been favorable criticism. The country members did not like it, however, because it cut down the fees which public administrators might receive, and, in fact, would have put some of them out of business. Assemblyman Rolley of Eureka is attorney for the Public Administrator of Eureka county, and he had been lining up votes against the bill for several days, and succeeded in defeating it.

IMPORTANT MEASURES.

AID FOR POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—One of the bills passed in the Assembly today carries an appropriation for $18,000 for the maintenance of the California Polytechnic School. Other bills passed provide that sample ballots shall not be printed or distributed, and repeal an act of the code of civil procedure relating to mechanics' liens.

In the Senate late this afternoon Belshaw introduced a bill providing that medical superintendents and assistant physicians of State Hospitals for the Insane, must abandon private practice of medicine, unless granted leave of absence by the board of directors.

Senator Shortridge of Santa Clara introduced a bill in the Senate to declare the Associated Press and similar associations "common carriers." The bill provides penalties for discrimination between patrons, and refusal to serve any one with report.

The labor question cropped up in the Senate again when the bill relating to the rights of employers came up for second reading. The motion of Senator Ralston that the bill be refused enrollment and third reading created a lively dispute, which finally resulted in a vote ordering the measure to the third reading file.

Those who advocate convict labor sustained a blow today, when the Senate bill directing that at least twenty prisoners at San Quentin and Folsom be employed on the roads near the penitentiaries was refused passage in the Assembly.

The Committee on Constitutional Amendments will hold a meeting tomorrow morning, for the purpose of considering Senator Oneal's amendment providing for the removal of the seat of State government to San José.

The Finance Committee of the Senate reached a favorable decision tonight on the bill appropriating $200,000 for the improvement of the Sacramento River.

After a prolonged discussion, extending over several days, the same committee finally decided to report favorably bills providing for the payment of coyote scalp claims aggregating $196,000. It is stipulated that the claims are not to be paid before January 1, 1905, or not at all, if they are annulled before that time by decisions of the Supreme Court.

GLEN ELLEN HOME.

TRACING USE OF FUNDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The special committee composed of Assemblymen Drew, Lewis, Lumley, Foster and Gleason appointed to investigate the finances and affairs of the State Home for the Feeble-minded at Glen Ellen, began its work tonight, and for nearly four hours heard evidence as to the manner in which the accounts of the institution are kept. The principal witness was Dr. W. J. G. Dawson, now superintendent of the home.

The main purpose of the investigation is to ascertain what was done with a fund known as the Jessup fund to reimburse which a bill is now before the Legislature. There is nothing in the evidence submitted tonight that showed there had been any misappropriation of this or other funds, but it was shown that the fund had been misapplied. Dr. Dawson, since his futile effort of a month ago to ascertain what had been done with this money, found two checks for $818.93 to the Puget Sound Lumber Company and $2714.95 to J. A. Snook and Company accompanied by receipted bills for those amounts. The balance was accounted for.

There are other matters which the committee will investigate, but it is now thought it will not be necessary for the members to visit the home.

"CINCH" LABOR BILL.

AIMED AT THE DRUGGISTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Another labor cinch bill was presented in the Assembly today by Bolsson. It provides that no person who is engaged in the business of selling drugs or filling physician's prescriptions shall work in such drug store more than ten hours per day, and that ten hours' work must be completed within eleven continuous hours. No person shall employ any other person to work in a drug store for a longer period during any day. Violation of the proposed law is made a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not exceeding $500 or imprisonment for six months.

Should this bill pass, which is very improbable, every country druggist would be obliged to remain out of his own store after he had worked the ten hours on any day.

CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE.

THIRTY-FIFTH SESSION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—SENATE. The Senate gave its sanction this morning to a junketing trip, by a committee of nine, to the following institutions: Hospitals for the insane at Napa and Ukiah, the Soldiers' Home at Yountville, and the Home for Feeble-minded Children at Glenn Ellen.

Those who compose the inspecting committees are Senators Coggins, Corlett, Pendleton, Bauer, Muenter, Knowland, Tyrrell of Nevada, Welch and Nelson.

The resolution offered yesterday by Senator Emmons, providing for an investigation of the charges preferred against Pilot Commissioner Charles H. S. Pratt, was reported back favorably by the Committee on Commerce and Navigation, to whom it was referred. Senator Emmons was made a member of the committee, and it was decided to begin the investigation in San Francisco next Saturday morning. The following bills were introduced:

Savage—Authorizing the appointment of an interpreter of the Spanish language in criminal proceedings, in counties of 100,000 inhabitants and over.

Lardner—Relating to the salaries and fees of county and township officers in counties of the twenty-eighth class.

Committee on Commissions, Retrenchment and Reform—Regulating the practice of barbering.

Committee on Commissions, Retrenchment and Reform—Repealing the act creating a State board of accountancy.

Corlett—Defining the time within which employés are entitled to payment for work, labor or personal service tendered to employés and relating to contracts waiving or extending such time of payment.

Curtin—Senate joint resolution relative to the purchasing and making free by the United States government of toll roads over the Yosemite National Park.

Sanford—Constitutional amendment providing that the session of the Legislature consist of eighty instead of sixty days. The measure proposes to strike a blow at the prevailing patronage system by cutting off a large number of attachés in each house.

The resolution instructing California's Senators in Congress to vote against the ratification of the proposed treaty with Cuba, reducing the duty upon sugar and other products of the State was defeated, by a vote of 23 to 13, when it came up for reconsideration. While the vote was being taken a call of the House was resorted to.

ASSEMBLY PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 10.—By a straight party vote, the Republican majority in the Assembly seated Harry S. Wanzer this morning, over A. D. Duffey, as Assemblyman from the Fifty-fourth District, Santa Cruz. This action was taken after a report had been tendered in favor of Wanzer by the Committee on Contested Elections. A minority report was filed by Finn and Dunbar, Democrats, in favor of Duffey, but it was ignored.

Reconsideration was given to Lumley's constitutional amendment, exempting $300 worth of personal property from taxation, which was defeated yesterday afternoon. After the reconsideration had been carried by a vote of 59 to 10, Lumley offered an amendment reducing the amount of property to be exempted from $300 to $200. The reduction received the sanction of the Assembly, and the constitutional amendment passed.

The famous Works Irrigation Bill was introduced in the Assembly this morning by Walker of Los Gatos. Other bills introduced were:

Bolsson—To regulate the work and hours of selling, at retail, drugs, medicines and compounding physicians' prescriptions.

McMartin—To regulate the practice of barbering.

Brown—To regulate the letting of contracts for the erection, improvement and repair of public-school buildings.

Murphy—Repealing the provision for the appointment of policemen, with the powers of peace officers, to serve upon the premises, cars and boats of railroad and steamship companies.

Prescott—Providing for the payment to the California United States Volunteers of such amounts as are due them, from the date of their assembling, to the date of their muster.

SHE PURSUES TO THE END.

Miss Howell Again Causes Bryson's Arrest.

Nemesis in Tennessee Trails Him Continually.

Kidnaping Her Child is the Charge Against Him—In Jail Last Night.

Hugh W. Bryson was again arrested at a late hour last night at the instigation of Miss Pricilla Catherine Howel. of Memphis, Tenn., on the charge of kidnaping her illegitimate baby.

The reopening of the notorious and sensational case is the result of Miss Howell's untiring work back in Tennessee, whither she went immediately after Bryson's release from custody here last November. The arrest was made on a telegraphic order from Sheriff Blackwell of Selby county, Tenn., stating that Bryson had been indicted by the grand jury for kidnaping.

Bryson was nabbed by Deputy Sheriff Harry Saphir of the Elms Detective Agency as he emerged from the Orpheum with a young woman on his arm. The private detectives here in the employ of Miss Howell have been expecting a telegraphic warrant for several days, and Saphir kept such close watch on the movements of Bryson that the young man was located and arrested immediately upon receipt of the telegram.

Bryson was taken to the County Jail, and demanded release on bail or immediate arraignment and the fixing of bonds. The jailers refused. The prisoner summoned Attorney Rodman and Under Sheriff Yonkin was awakened and called to the jail, in the absence of Sheriff White. The jail office was then the scene of a spirited controversy, Detectives Elms and Saphir contending that a prisoner arrested on telegraphic warrant must be held until the arrival of an officer, and Attorney Rodman demanding immediate arraignment before a magistrate. Yonkin communicated with the Sheriff's attorney, and stood firm against releasing Bryson.

The telegraphic advices state that an officer will leave Memphis immediately with the warrant and requisition, but it will doubtless be at least a week before he can get his papers approved by the Governor, and call here for his man. It is expected that during this time the attorneys for Bryson will resort to habeas corpus and every other process available to prevent his return to the scene of the alleged crime.

The captors of the young blade are very confident that he cannot this time escape standing trial, as they say every precaution has been taken to leave no technical loopholes. When arrested before, the warrant and requisition were so defective as to cause Bryson's speedy release, the requisition not being certified. When Miss Howell went back to Tennessee, she took with her elaborate samples of the form of papers to be legal in California.

The arrest of Bryson here last November, and Miss Howell's story of wrongs, will be remembered as among the most sensational recent events in local criminal history. The little woman claimed to have been the mistress of young Bryson years ago, and to have borne a child by him. This baby is said to have been taken from the house of its temporary care-taker at night, by Bryson and another man. The young woman never saw her own again, and though losing love for the man who cast her off, she started on a hunt for her child, which is as remarkable as pathetic. The tireless little woman, said she had been on Bryson's trail for four years before she located him here three months ago.

Miss Howell has wealthy and prominent friends in Tennessee who are aiding her in her determined hunt, but it is said there are equally strong forces aligned against her prosecution of Bryson. She was well supplied with funds when here, and indignantly denied that any amount of money would repay her for her child. All she asked of Bryson was that he direct her to her child, but this he stoutly protested his inability to do, avowing his entire ignorance of its whereabouts. It is stated that the very last seen of the baby was in the carriage with Bryson and a Dr. Woolford, who were driving toward a cemetery in the outskirts of Memphis. Hints at dark deeds at the bottom of the mystery, coupled with Miss Howell's relentless search, have brought wide attention to the case.

Bryson has made many friends, and has an aged father in this city. He was the high-salaried agent of a contracting firm at Oxnard when arrested before. Since his release, he has been in this city most of the time.

REFINED SUGAR MARKET.

Particularly Unsatisfactory in Condition at New York—Wholesale Grocers Selling Out Their Accumulations.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The refined sugar market is in a particularly unsatisfactory condition. Throughout the beet sections in the West, the beet manufacturers are underselling the eastern refiners fully ten points. On the Pacific Coast a reduction of 15 cents per hundred pounds was announced, making the quotation 4.25, which compares with 4.65 net in New York, and in the East the wholesalers are selling to retailers at refiners' net prices. One effect of this condition has been the renewal of shipments of refined sugar by the Southern Pacific from San Francisco to New York. Of this sugar, between 2000 and 2500 tons of granulated have been shipped by the Crockett refinery, and aside from that, it is understood that the wholesale grocers of San Francisco have also shipped a number of invoices in order to take advantage of the higher prices that, it is expected, will rule in New York before the sugar arrives, which will not be until May.

There was a very general stocking up of sugar last November by wholesale grocers at a long price of about 4.45. Between November 7 and December 9, there was an advance of fully ½ cent per pound, and there has since been a reduction of 10 to 15 points. The wholesale grocers are now said to be selling out their accumulations as far as possible, and taking their profits, and this is actively interfering with new business from refiners. As explained by a prominent local refiner today, the delay in ratifying the Cuban reciprocity treaty is a particularly depressing feature in the situation. The Cubans have become discouraged over the prospects of receiving the benefit of any concessions on their present crop, and are now offering their raw sugars at ¼ cent per pound below the world's price established by beet sugar in Europe.

SMALL DOCTOR'S BILLS.

Scientific Feeding the Way to Reduce Them.

A little science in the selection of food leads to good health and smaller doctor's bills. Ill health not only cuts down the earnings but increases the cost of living, too. How many men and women would like to save the biggest part of what they now pay out for sickness yearly? As most ailments come from improper feeding it stands to reason you won't need the doctor so often if you feed yourself and family right and the doctor would be pleased as well.

The Principal of a well-known Holland Academy at Beckville, Texas, writes as follows: "Having been a user of Grape-Nuts for the past two years I beg to offer a testimony of the effect it has had upon myself and family.

"When I began the use of Grape-Nuts my wife and I were taking a resort for our health in South Texas. Up to this time our lives were indeed miserable as a result of continual bad health, ill tempers and heavy doctor's bills. One day a merchant of Burkville, Texas, advised me to try Grape-Nuts as a diet.

"Doubting that it would benefit me any, I took home a package, however, and before I had used this box I had begun to see the good effect it had on my digestion. So I continued its use. After I had used the third package I discontinued the use of medicine altogether as I saw Grape-Nuts was doing more for me than all the medicine I had taken.

"When I returned home my friends and neighbors hardly knew me, I had improved so in health, appearance and energy. I had my grocer at Carthage order a supply and have continued to use it.

"This year my family life has been more happy than ever and my business, which had been nearly wrecked before, is now prosperous.

"As I am a teacher, worried with the care of from 100 to 150 small urchins in our rural school, I am subject to considerable worry and strain upon the brain. Since my daily diet of Grape-Nuts, however, I must say my school work is not nearly so unpleasant.

"I recommend it for a plain simple diet full of nourishment, just the the thing for that worn and tired out feeling in the brain. Respectfully, honestly and earnestly yours." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

SPORTING RECORD.

KNELL OF BOOKMAKING.

Manager of the Arnold Company Admits It.

Hundreds of Excited People Besiege the Office.

Corbett Says He's Spending a Lot of Money Keeping After Jim Jeffries.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Coöperative bookmaking, or "investment business" has received its death blow in Missouri. Its knell was sounded yesterday, when E. Arnold, pioneer in this "get-rich-quick" business, which has flourished luxuriantly in St. Louis, the last few months, announced "temporary suspension" of the payment of stock winnings.

Night Manager L. A. Gill of the Arnold company announced that the action had put an end to the business of his concern, and that it would be forced to quit. Hundreds of excited, pale-faced men and women besieged the offices of the various turf investment companies in this city today, clamoring for their money, and threatening to destroy the furniture of the offices they invaded, if their demands were not complied with. At the offices of J. Ryan & Co., Fourth and Market streets, these demands were heeded and constables were on hand to protect the company's property. Investors were reminded that the clause in their stock certificates stipulated that deposits may not be withdrawn on thirty days' notice.

Miles Quinn, who claims that she lost $900 with Ryan, secured an injunction against the office furniture in Ryan's office, alleging the concern refused to pay her money back and contemplated moving their general office to Cincinnati.

Hundreds of men and women swarmed through the offices of the Arnold company, where fifty stylishly-attired young lady stenographers encountered many pointed questions and demands accompanying smiles and replies that "everything is all right." Investors were told they would receive their usual dividends of 2 per cent. and their original deposits if they so desired.

There was almost a riot at the Interstate Investment Company's office. Two hundred men and women tried to get in and struggled to get within view of the cashier's room, but were so badly crushed in the crush that several fainted. Four policemen were required to produce a semblance of order among the excited depositors, many of whom had spent a fortune, that they would receive their money in full for all they had invested.

Thousands of men and women besieged the offices of several coöperative companies this afternoon. All were turned away and demanded the return of their investments. A squad of police was called to prevent any trouble. Several women fainted in the dense crowd and were removed to places of safety. Otherwise no trouble occurred. A steady stream of indignant notices of withdrawals came in the day. Some excitement was in the Nulsen building by a crowd of women, and a platoon of police was rushed to the scene and restored order.

Managers of the several concerns not experiencing a run on their funds are unanimous in their individual declaration that they are solvent. These companies have been paying from 2 to 5 per cent. dividends.

CORBETT HUNTING JEFFRIES.

HUMAN STARTS FOR WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Telegraphic stories from Denver to the effect that Jim Jeffries is willing to fight Corbett after his return from Europe have stirred the champion, and he is hot on the trail of the boiler maker.

"I have shown Jeffries and every one else that I am sincere," said Corbett this evening, "and he certainly can't doubt that I mean business. I am spending a lot of money, keeping him, and I am not doing it to make any show, either, for I have fooled. I only have a monologue and a very small part of a big show.

"I say he will fight me when I return from Europe. Does that mean in three months or in three years? His talk about knowing the Sporting Club is nonsense. The club has pulled off two championship battles, and many other big fights, and its forfeit money covers everything. I mean to keep after Jeffries until he fights me."

Matchmaker Herman of the Fort Erie Club left tonight to find Jeffries in the West. He took articles of agreement signed by Corbett, and hopes to get Jeffries's signature to them at once.

INGLESIDE RACES.

FAVORITE-FOLLOWERS LOSERS

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Summer weather prevailed at Ingleside today, and the track was in fairly good condition. The favorite-followers met with disaster. The main attraction was the seven-furlong handicap. Princess Titania was favorite, while Kenilworth receded in the betting. To a good start, Beau Ormonde went out in front, but before the stretch was reached Kenilworth had assumed the lead. Shaw gave him a perfect ride, and he won easily from Beau Ormonde and Gravina. Princess Titania made a disappointing showing. Meehanus, favorite for the last race, was interfered with by Little Magaret, and as a result was beaten in a drive by Golden Light, an outsider. Summary:

Futurity course, selling: Hippomax, 111 (Burns,) 16 to 5, won; Rud Hynicka, 100 (J. Sheehan,) 20 to 1, second; Jennie Hughes, 97 (J. Daly,) 4 to 1, third; time 1:12. Pupil, Educate, Lone Fisherman, Alaria, M. F. Trapey, Inaugurator, Miss Mateo, Martha D., Cambacères and Carlo also ran.

Three and a half furlongs, purse: Memoriam, 115 (J. Daly,) 5 to 1, won; Lady Laurie, 112 (Waterbury,) 75 to 1, second; Libbie Candid, 115 (Burns,) 6 to 5, third; time 0:43. Samar, Cotati, Huapala and Madeane also ran.

One mile, selling: Silver Fizz, 107 (Shaw,) 5 to 2, won; Greyfeld, 112 (Jenkins,) 8 to 5, second; Phil Archibald, 107 (Bullman,) 9 to 1, third; time 1:43. Expedient, Filibuster, Imperious and Favorito also ran.

Seven furlongs, handicap: Kenilworth, 130 (Shaw,) 18 to 5, won; Beau Ormonde, 119 (Bullman,) 13 to 2, second; Gravina, 96 (Waldo,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:28. Ethylene, Princess Titania and Bragg also ran.

Futurity course, selling: Rag Tag, 102 (J. Daly,) 5 to 2, won; Gibraltar, 106 (C. Kelly,) 20 to 1, second; Parsifal, 104 (Donovan,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:12. Saul of Tarsus, Shell Mount, Sharp Bird, Saintly and E. M. Brittain also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Golden Light, 109 (Bozeman,) 10 to 1, won; Meehanus, 112, (Shaw,) 9 to 10, second; Little Margaret, 87 (Connell,) 13 to 5, third; time 1:15⅘. Golden Cottage, Stunts, Pat Morrissey, Señora Caesar and Bell Punch also ran.

NAMED "REPUBLIC."

NEW CUP DEFENDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Frank R. Tucker, a nephew of John B. Herreshoff, is authority for the statement that the new cup defender has been named "Republic," according to a World dispatch from Bristol, R. I. Tucker announces that the selection of a name has been made within the past few days.

More than a hundred names were under consideration.

Crescent City Card.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 10.—One mile and an eighth, selling: Aurieb won, Wanderlich second, Marion Lynch third; time 2:01 1-5.

Six furlongs: Captain Castor won, Midnight Chimes second, Miss Aubrey third; time 1:18.

Mile and a sixteenth: Sheriff Bill Fisher won, but was disqualified; Poteen won, Rough Rider second, Honolulu third; time 1:52 1-5.

Six furlongs, handicap: Ahumada won, Brush By second, War Cry third; time 1:17 3-5.

Six furlongs: Tellamon won, Ben Mora second, Meron third; time 1:16 3-5.

Five furlongs: Scoruion won, Henry McDaniel second, Harrison third; time 1:03 3-5.

Decision Anent Gambling.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Justice Gaynor, in the Brooklyn Supreme Court, has handed down a decision interpreting section 351 of the New York State Penal Code to mean that the recording or registering of any bet, not the making of it upon an issue of chance, is in violation of the laws against gambling, and consequently a crime. The decision was rendered on writs of habeas corpus sued out in the interest of George Reardon and others.

In-door Skating Races.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Announcement is made of the indoor amateur speed-skating championships of the United States to be held under the direction of the United States at the Duquesne Garden, Pittsburgh, Pa., February 25, 26, 27 and 28.

NAVAL STATIONS IN CUBA.

HAVANA, Feb. 10.—Although a fairly definite understanding has been reached with the United States representatives in regard to coaling stations on this island, President Palma is inclined to further feel the public pulse before committing his government to the agreement. Accordingly he has held a conference with the leading Senators and Representatives at the Palace today, and the matter was discussed, with the result that no opposition to the agreement developed, except on minor points.

OLS AND MONEY PARTED AS USUAL.

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...y small investors, a ...re or less prominent ... professional men of this ... to have banked a good ... on the get-rich-quick ... and during the day ... "anxious inquirer" ... the company's local office ... building, or called it up ... to try to glean some ...tion as to the alleged ...

...ness that D. A. McCusker, ... agent here, is in San ... left Sunday to es-... northern city, it was ... since yesterday, a new ... particulars were to ... the local end of the ... story from St. ...

...in charge of the agency ... absence received ... the day, denying the ... the reported failure of E. J. ... & Co., now from McCusker, and ... received late in the after-noon, from the company direct. The latter stated: "All reports to the contrary, we are perfectly solvent, and good for every penny we have of subscribers' money. Our assets exceed our liabilities." No particulars were incorporated in the denial.

The fact that the local representative has just gone to San Francisco under the firm's orders to open an agency there, is quoted at the local office as strong proof that the big turf and poolroom operators are well on their feet, and have no idea of going out of business.

The explanation of the reported suspension of payment on the company's certificates is that the firm, in all its statements, reserves the right to demand a thirty-day notice prior to withdrawals by subscribers, and that, on account of the activity of other firms of the same nature, which have lately sprung up and enticed away a number of Arnold's patrons by an offer of 5 per cent. a week, as against the latter's 2 per cent., the company has evidently made use of the thirty-day provision as a matter of self-protection against the sudden withdrawals.

It is said by those more or less interested in the firm's operations that some local investors, made reckless by the enormous quick-money offers of the Arnold concern, have gone so far as even to dispose of small homes and business holdings upon which they were dependent, to secure these stock certificates.

STANDARD OIL WORKINGS.

Resolution Introduced in the Wisconsin Assembly Directing the Attorney-General to Investigate the Same.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MADISON (Wis.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A resolution was introduced in the Assembly today, authorizing and directing the Attorney-General to investigate and inquire into the workings of the Standard Oil Company: its actual cash capital, whether or not it possessed the monopoly alleged to be worth $97,500,000; whether its property is devoted to necessary public use, as stated, and all other facts necessary to determine the price at which such company should reasonably and fairly afford to market its products in this State.

The Attorney-General is instructed to take such action, by suit or otherwise, as may be necessary to secure the furnishing to the people of products at such reasonable prices, and, if necessary, to apply for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the affairs of the company and conduct them upon a basis of fairness alike to its stockholders and the public.

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BUSINESS.

The clearings of the Los Angeles clearinghouse yesterday amounted to $970,714.48, as compared with $861,355.07 for the corresponding period of last year.

Prices were nervous and fluctuated easily in the Chicago wheat market yesterday. Speculative sentiment in the New York stock market led up to a reaction in which there were general net declines running to a point or more in the leading active stocks.

PHILIPPINE CURRENCY.

Gov. Taft of the Philippines, has cabled the War Department urging that some action be taken by Congress, as soon as possible, to give a suitable currency to the islands. Gov. Taft says in his dispatch that the official ratio of Mexican dollars to United States currency is now $2.66 to $1, and that the total direct net loss to the insular treasury since January 1, 1902, because of the depreciation of silver, is $1,287,947. Business of all kinds, he declares, is suffering greatly from the fluctuations and depreciation of silver, resulting in immense losses to merchants who have sold on credit. "Failure to furnish relief at this session of Congress," adds Gov. Taft, "would create consternation throughout the islands;" and "added to the prevailing financial depression, the loss of animals by rinderpest and other contagious disease, with resulting destitution, the political situation would become more difficult."

Gov. Taft further declares that the immediate application of the American currency system to the islands would "enhance prices greatly and derange every form of business." He recommends, briefly, the enactment of legislation making the gold peso equal to the American half-dollar as a unit of value, and that subsidiary and minor coins shall be made receivable for all public dues at the rate of 50 cents American money for one peso, with provisions for the issuance of silver certificates based on deposits of new pesos. This plan, in the opinion of Gov. Taft, "would furnish a currency as good as American money, and better adapted to the needs of the islands."

It appears from Gov. Taft's cablegram that the Philippine commissioners are unanimous in their indorsement of the plan suggested. Inasmuch as they are on the ground, and familiar with the needs of the situation, it would probably be well for Congress to comply, so far as possible, with their recommendations. The time will come when the American currency system will be extended to the Philippine Islands, as it has been extended to the Territory of Hawaii. Perhaps that time for such action has not yet arrived, although it is not apparent that the derangement of business would be other than temporary if the measure pending in Congress, providing for the extension of our system to the islands, should become a law. The plan offered by the Philippine commissioners, if adopted, might serve to prepare the way for the inevitable introduction of the American system, thus making the change less sudden and its effects less deranging.

That Congress ought not to adjourn without furnishing the necessary relief to the Philippines is a self-evident proposition. The obligation is one which is not to be avoided, and there should be no desire to avoid it. Neither should there be any attempt to force upon the Philippines currency legislation which would be likely to prove a serious injury to the people. We have assumed full responsibility for the welfare of these people, and we are in honor bound to discharge the trust faithfully, keeping steadily in view their highest welfare, and holding out to them the best possible opportunities for advancement. In this way, only, can we retain and deserve their confidence.

The President has opened the Canning Exposition, but not with a can opener.

PLANT TREES.

The county school superintendent of Kern county has issued a circular letter to all school trustees, designating February 20 as Arbor Day, to be observed by all schools. This date has been agreed to by the Native Daughters and Native Sons of the Golden West, who will celebrate the day by planting trees on designated county roads and city streets. The City Trustees have agreed to coöperate in the movement. The matter has also been taken up with great enthusiasm by the Woman's Club, several churches and other organizations. The superintendent advises all trustees that they may draw on the school funds for trees.

At Stockton, a couple of weeks ago, a thousand trees were planted on three of the public highways leading from that city, under the auspices of the Arbor Club, the work being done by volunteers. Not only were the trees planted, but most of them were protected by tree boxes. The entire length of roadway planted was about nine miles. The day was a local holiday, and thousands of people turned out to participate in the work, despite the discomfort of prevailing fog. In addition to the active members of the Arbor Club, the Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West, the Elks, Redmen, Foresters, and other fraternal organizations turned out in numbers to plant trees, and the different schools, the teachers, social clubs, and society generally made it a tree-planting event. Fully five thousand people lined the roadways, yet the inexperienced forces were so well directed that most of the work was well done. As a result, Stockton has the foundation for three beautiful avenues of fig, eucalyptus, palm and elm trees.

At San Bernardino, also, a large and enthusiastic meeting was recently held, at which it was decided to have a general planting of trees on February 23, which the Woodmen have designated as Arbor Day. A committee was named to purchase trees and to solicit funds. The planting will be under the direction of the City Engineer. The City Trustees have been asked to declare Monday, the 23rd inst., a legal holiday, the schools to close, and the business houses to do so as far as possible.

If the planting of shade and fruit trees is a good thing in any section—and indeed it is—how specially is it so in a region like Southern California, where natural tree growth is so sparse. Here, also, trees are not only things of beauty, but of great use in helping to conserve the rainfall for irrigation. Let us have a boom of tree planting in Southern California, and at the same time let us not fail to protect those we have.

ONE CAUSE OF ACCIDENTS.

Another of those all too numerous railroad accidents, attended by loss of life, occurred a few days ago in New Mexico, whereby five men lost their lives and one was injured. A freight train was standing on the main track, when another freight crashed into the rear end. A dispatch reports a story to the effect that the brakeman sent to flag the train in the rear fell asleep. It would be interesting to know how long that brakeman had been working without sleep. As recently mentioned in The Times, owing to the congestion of traffic and the difficulty of obtaining a sufficient force of experienced men, some engineers in and around Los Angeles have recently been worked for a space of forty-eight hours without sleep. As we have said, such doings are nothing less than criminal, and invite catastrophe.

An interesting fact in this connection is the news, published in The Times of Sunday, that the great Chicago and Northwestern system has issued orders which will result in a general day of rest on Sunday, for all its employés. Not a ton of dead freight, except coal, will be moved on Sunday, and all switchmen and yard crews, except those necessary to handle perishable freight, will be given their time between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. The management of the road expresses the hope that the Northwestern example will be followed by other systems. The officials say that the stimulus of one day's rest will result in a greater amount of freight being handled in six days than is now handled in seven. The result of the Northwestern's radical experiment will be watched with much interest. Meantime, however, whatever may be the opinion in regard to the desirability or practicability of making such a reduction of Sunday labor, there can be no question whatever that we should have strict laws forbidding the working for more than a reasonable number of hours of men upon whose alertness and discretion depends every day the safety of hundreds of thousands of human lives.

REACHING THE LIMIT.

The latest novelty in the way of the strike comes appropriately from Chicago, a city that is more cursed with that sort of affliction than any other in the United States, with the possible exception of San Francisco. In this case, it is the elevator men in the tall office buildings that have gone on a strike. On Monday it was expected that a general strike would be ordered, involving nearly all the principal office buildings in the city, when not only the janitors, but the elevator starters, window washers and scrub women would take a vacation. It was also expected to include the local teamsters, as the latter have been ordered by their union to refuse to deliver fuel at any buildings where the men are out.

It was intimated, in a previous dispatch, that the real cause of this strike is an attempt on the part of the coal dealers to force the owners of office buildings to use coal exclusively for fuel, in place of petroleum—which has been rapidly growing in popularity—and natural gas. This rumor appears to be confirmed by a statement that the teamsters have demanded that coal be used in the buildings all the year round, and that all pipes for transmitting natural gas or oil be removed.

Thus, we see a new evolution of the strike idea—one set of business men using the strike as a club to hurt the business of their competitors. We may next expect to see the waiters' union demanding that only cane sugar shall be used in the restaurants and hotels, the carpenters' union forbidding the use of California redwood, the brewers' union refusing to handle Washington hops, and so on ad infinitum and ad nauseam.

Is it not about time that this preposterous, demoralizing and un-American sort of thing should be brought to an end?

That European scandal involving the Crown Princess of Saxony has become a tragedy that must, in some sense, touch the most calloused heart. However much we may inveigh against the acts of the Princess in abandoning her children and taking up with a paramour it is pitiful to note her present condition. The miserable creature calling himself a man has abandoned Louise to her shame, her child is dying and she is not permitted to return to it, and the whole world—a world that is full of sinners who haven't yet been found out—is holding up its hands in holy horror and turning against her. Little wonder then that the heartbroken mother, the disgraced woman, the abused wife, should try to end it all with a swift bullet. "The way of the transgressor is hard," but it does seem as if poor, unhappy, scandalized and disgraced Louise of Saxony were having a "way" that is almost too hard.

If Col. Black is still poolrooming out in the "scruburbs," why it is? We have a Board of Supervisors and there seems to be no good reason why that body should not be quite as virtuous and zealous for civic decency as a City Council. If the poolroom is a nuisance and an evil in town it is no less a nuisance and an evil just beyond the town's confines. Now that the blackboard upon which is registered the racing figures has been started on the move, it ought to be kept moving. The people in the country have the same right to demand protection against gamblers and other malefactors that dwellers within the gates of the city have. It is entirely in order for the Board of Supervisors to rise up and be counted.

Mr. Cleveland has gone to Florida to hunt fish. The presumption is that his boat will never leave the shore until the snake medicine is properly stored under the rear seat and the angle worms are gently reposing in a separate can. As for the country, it much prefers to see Grover watching the bob on his line rather than to witness his expertness as a destroyer of prosperity. We trust that the fishing will be found better in Florida than the bear hunting was in Mississippi, a while back.

The movement to secure an elastic currency still continues. But what matters it, Mr. Carnegie, John Rockefeller and Pierp Morgan will get the stuff whether it stretches or not. What this country needs is not an elastic currency so much as some variety of the aforesaid that stretches more from hand to hand, instead of from one hand to the other hand of the same handler.

When Pasadena has secured a garage there will probably be no living in the same county with her. You may not know what a garage is. We beg to assure the readers of this great religious daily that, for one thing, at least, it isn't any new kind of fruit, nor a new game, nor disease that can be cut out with implements. Don't know what a garage is? Huh!

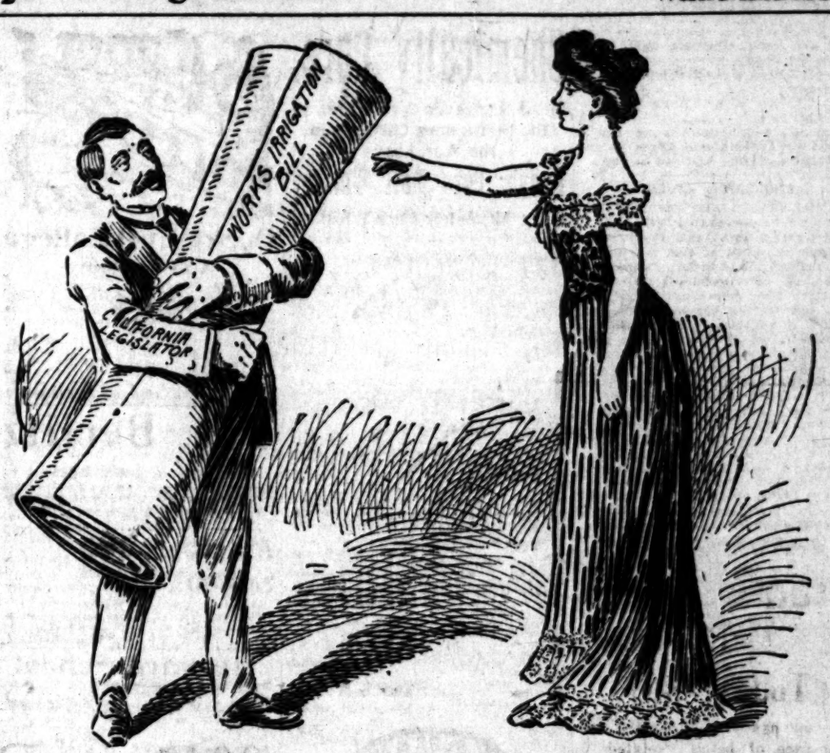
Guatemala, San Salvador and Honduras are all mixed up in a regular cut-throat war game. Those three-handed games are terrific, as all old card players know. Let us hope that the United States will not have to interfere and take away the razors of the combatants—those razors that are flying in the air.

Why Alfred Austin hasn't written a "pome" regarding the masterly activity of "the Goth and the shameless Hun," in Venezuelan waters, does not appear to have been explained. Write something, Alf. It's a great theme for one of your products that comes sawed off in regular lengths, like stovewood.

Until we know the weight of Mr. Parker of New York it will be impossible to determine whether he is eligible to the Presidency or not. The last candidate for the great office who hailed from the Empire State was about the avoirdupois necessary to fill the bill. We want to see Parker weighed.

A country that survived human slavery and that has withstood the bedevilment of great combinations of capital may be depended upon to adjust the labor question without going all to pieces, or disappearing in smoke.

The more the trusts connive for the defeat of Theodore Roosevelt for the Presidency in 1904, the stronger the people of the United States will stand behind the masterly spirit in the White House. If the trusts desire to insure his nomination and election, let them continue to try to beat him.



Southern California: It's no good, throw it away.

Now that The Times has been boycotted in Sacramento, we anticipate a large increase in circulation in that city. At least, that has been the experience of The Times wherever else it has met the boycotting fiends. Bring on your boycott. It certainly looks good to us.

Despite the blockade President Castro has sufficient prowess to overcome the rebels who are harassing his flanks while the allies are patrolling his water front. There's life and fight in the old man yet.

Let us be thankful that Los Angeles lies outside the capital radius. How could a people be angelic in conduct or disposition with a Legislature meeting in town every now and then?

We trust that Carrie Nation finds our jail fully as comfortable and commodious as those she has been frequenting lately.

It certainly would be most sad and unfortunate were John W. Gates to bump into the barbed-wire fence of the California game law.

The midnight lunch wagon wouldn't be such an all-fired nuisance had it not such an infernally bad breath.

Who has been climbing that Hill who is president of the Great Northern Railroad, anyway?

Would San José as the capital of the State smell as sweet? Doubtful.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

(The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents, without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the expression of an idea.)

"A Practical Suggestion"—Is It?

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2, 1903.—[To the Editor of The Times:] As no one has yet offered a practical suggestion in regard to abolishing the social evil, I wish to suggest the following plan:

First, elect decent, pure-minded men for the Legislature. Then purity workers should draw up a petition, which we all no doubt be signed by all who earnestly desire to see this evil driven out of the land, and present it to our lawmakers. In this petition pray that the lawmakers pass a law, making it a penitentiary offense to conduct a house of prostitution of any kind, at any place in the State, the same punishment to fall on the patrons of these houses, or on any one renting houses or rooms to dissolute women for immoral purposes.

After this law is passed, the next thing to do is to put in policemen who will enforce the law, keep a close watch, and bring the offenders to justice.

We are told that efforts have been made before to abolish this evil without success, but the truth is that an effort has never been made to pass a severe law against this evil, and the punishment for conducting a house of prostitution has been too light—merely a fine, which amounts to almost the same thing as a license, and I have never heard of a law to punish the patrons of these houses. Give us the right kind of legislators, and the right kind of policemen, and it will be very hard for anyone to carry on this disgraceful business. In speaking of houses of prostitution, I am referring to all kinds of houses of prostitution, and not merely the poorer class of them. The sin is just as great in an elegant house of evil as in a poor one. Some people even seem to have an idea that the only sin committed by the male patrons of these houses is in contracting disease, but it is perfectly plain to all right-minded and logical people that such a disease is merely the punishment for the sin, and is not the sin itself. The houses which profess to guard against the consequences of sin are more evil that the other class, as they encourage vice.

Let us all train our sons to the same standard of morality which we hold up for their sisters. One of absolute chastity, and the social evil will be greatly discouraged.

As the mother of a young son, who will some day be a man, I am very anxious to see this reformation take place.

Yours for purity and justice,

MARGARET L. SCOTT.

TWO-MILLION-DOLLAR BOND.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The largest single bond ever filed in the surrogate's court of Westchester, has been filed with Surrogate Silkman in the matter of the estate of the late Robert E. Hopkins of Tarrytown. The bond is given by Mrs. Fannie Hopkins, the widow, together with a guaranty and surety company, and is for $2,000,000. Mrs. Hopkins was recently appointed temporary administratrix of her husband's estate. The latter amounts to about $1,000,000.

MINES AND MINING.

MINERAL BELT GROUP OF GOLD CLAIMS SOLD.

PHILADELPHIA COMPANY BUYS THEM AT GOOD FIGURE.

Erection of Smelting Plant at Newport Beach Now Being Considered—Lancaster Placer Field to Be Opened Up—Cananea Strike Kills Business.

After having expended something like $25,000 in the exploitation of the Mineral Belt group of mineral claims, which lie in the southeast part of Yuma county, Ariz., the Arizona Development Company has just sold the property for $150,000.

For almost two years development work has been carried on under the supervision of Dr. O. L. Geer of Martinez, and the claims, which are a few miles from the famous Congress property, are now regarded as a promising gold property.

The purchase was made by the Harqua Hala Mining and Milling Company, organized for the purpose of taking over mines. It has a strong backing of Philadelphia capital, and the intention is to install machinery that will enable the company to handle a large tonnage. There are said to be over 200,000 tons of ore in sight, and about 50,000 tons already blocked out. The average of numerous samples gives a value of $25 a ton to the ore.

Another property owned by the Development company is the Squaw mine, situated about eight miles from the Mineral Belt proper. A shaft has been sent in to a depth of sixty feet, where an excellent ore body was recently encountered. As soon as the formal transfer of the Mineral Belt is made the company will take up the development of the new prospect.

SMELTER FOR NEWPORT BEACH.

A party of Los Angeles and Santa Ana capitalists interested in the establishment of a smelter on the San Joaquin ranch, near Newport Beach Harbor, visited the proposed site yesterday, with a surveyor. The visit was made with the view of picking out the most advantageous site for the plant.

The proposed smelter, which is to cost, exclusive of the machinery, over $5000, is being erected with the intention of handling ore from Lower California and Mexico. The ore will be shipped by water to Newport, instead of being sent overland at greater expense as is now the case. Already a number of large Mexican operators have agreed to ship ore to the new plant as soon as it is ready for business.

LANCASTER PLACER FIELD.

A systematic attempt is soon to be made to develop the new and promising placer field recently discovered in Antelope Valley, fourteen miles west of Lancaster. Already about eighty acres of ground have been opened up, the pay streak being three feet in thickness. The value of the gravel, according to pan test, is given at from $2 to $10 a cubic yard.

Machinery was ordered this week from a local concern, and it will consist of a eight-horse-power engine, fitted on heavy sleds, with windlass scrapers, and a mill fitted with screens to separate the coarse and fine material. A Huntington mill will be used for amalgamation.

The water problem is an easy one to solve in that part of the country, and it is stated that on this particular property there are several live springs. The work about to be launched is the first systematic attempt made to develop the placer grounds in the valley, where there are numerous prospects. The presence of some important quartz mines in the vicinity is one of the favorable indications that has not been overlooked by placer prospectors.

CANANEA STRIKE HURTS.

Private advices from Cananea are to the effect that the great copper camp is anything but lively. Since the strike the railroad and furnaces have been closed, and there are many men out of employment. For the past three months the company has been reducing wages in every department, and in consequence hundreds of American miners have quit, their places being filled by inexperienced Mexicans.

Six months ago business in the camp was booming, but now everything is stagnant and business men are trying to get out and away. It will not be surprising if the shut-down of the Cananea copper smelters will have a bullish effect on the market.

JEROME PROSPECTING.

"Diamond-drill work on the Jerome belt will soon demonstrate at what depth the ore bodies lie between the United Verde mine and Equator Hill," says the Jerome (Ariz.) News. "It is an open secret that the ore bodies in the United Verde mine gradually sink deeper below the surface as they run south, and the dip is so strong that it is possible it may be necessary to go down 1000 or 1500 feet before the main ore bodies are struck, while at places a depth of 400 or 500 feet may open up a pay mine, but there cannot be any possibility for a doubt of the existence of ore in paying quantities between Jerome and Equator Hill, and where these bodies are located and the most rapid and cheapest way to get at them can be quickly learned through the agency of a diamond drill."

CONCENTRATES.

Word comes from Riverside, Ariz., that the Shoemaker and Ingram copper claims, two miles below the railway station, have been bonded to Boston people for a large sum.

An American company is reported to have offered over $500,000 for the San Juan mine near Santa Eulalia, Chihuahua. This property is considered one of the best producers in the Santa Eulalia camp.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Belcher	54	Mexican	150
Best & Belcher	310	Occidental Con	35
Bullion	12	Ophir	250
Caledonia	225	Overman	16
Challenge Con	60	Potosi	41
Chollar	48	Savage	51
Confidence	155	Sag Belcher	72
Con. Cal. & Va.	215	Sierra Nevada	110
Crown Point	45	Silver Hill	34
Gould & Curry	53	Union Con	185
Hale & Norcross	130	Utah Con	54
Justice	13	Yellow Jacket	70

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

Gabrilowitsch.

At the Los Angeles Theater tomorrow night will be heard one of the greatest musical attractions of the season, Gabrilowitsch, the marvelous young Russian pianist, who appears under L. Behymer's management.

Gabrilowitsch was the headliner at the Worcester Festival this year, and created an immense sensation. Krehbiel, the famous critic of New York, said of him that he caused bewilderment which is closely akin to admiration, and must be credited with a popular triumph. His reading is broad and virile, in moderate warm and fervid, and his sentiment unforced and natural, while the finale was presented with speed without undue haste, and splendor without glare. Gabrilowitsch is one of the few artists who has apparently made good in America this season.

Another writer said: "The Worcester Music Festival has offered its patrons a long line of famous pianists during the last quarter century, including Aus der Ohe, Baermann, Carreno, Cottlow, De Kontski, De Pachmann, Godowski, Joseffy, Rummel, Scharwenka and Zeisler, but never has it been able to present an artist of such world-wide reputation, such absolutely uncriticised career, as Ossip Gabrilowitsch. Two years ago this young Russian came to America, preceded by high praise from the most critical centers of Europe. It was a season when fourteen pianists were before the American public, and no severer test could be offered than that which young Gabrilowitsch faced. It is hardly possible that one of the remaining thirteen will dare deny that the glory of that season was to him."

NEED ROUNDING UP.

Constabulary and the Native Scouts Will Clear Bulacan and Rizal of the Disorderly Elements.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)

MANILA, Feb. 10.—[By Manila Cable.] The government is preparing to thoroughly round up the disorderly elements in the provinces of Bulacan and Rizal, where the constabulary, in accordance with orders from the War Department, will be reinforced by several companies of native scouts. The rumors from the disaffected provinces are believed to exaggerate the number of hostiles, of which it is said there are 2000 in the field. More trustworthy reports say there are not over 500 natives under arms, and that the bulk of these scattered after Sunday's fight. It is believed that the chief difficulty will be in cornering them. There is little doubt that the hostiles will be speedily suppressed.

The Filipinos who have been participating in the exposition at Hanoi, capital of Tonquin, the French possession in Asia, have been ordered to withdraw, owing to a series of fights, and to the friction which has existed between them and the French officials. The government of the Philippines may ask the authorities at Washington to direct the attention of the government of France to the incident.

NO GOLD IN PENNIES.

Foolish Rumor Causes Annoyance to the Government Sub-treasury in New York—Last Year's Coins Not Wanted.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The craze to get and keep the United States penny of the coinage of 1902, because some one started the story that a bar of gold was accidentally spilled into the copper which is in some of them is causing [illegible] Treasury in Wall Street [illegible] and annoyance, for dozens of [illegible] are received every day as to the [illegible] mium the government is willing [illegible] to get 1902 pennies back. The [illegible] quiries come by letter, by [illegible] personally, and even by [illegible]

For a few days, hardly [illegible] passed without the telephone [illegible] ing for an inquiry. Finally a [illegible] reply to letters and telegrams [illegible] vised to save time in answering [illegible] United States will pay no [illegible] 1902 pennies, and persons who [illegible] been saving them will have to [illegible] premiums from credulous people [illegible] side of the Sub-Treasury. As a [illegible] ter of fact, it may even be said [illegible] the government Treasury [illegible] employés are not kindly [illegible] toward offers of pennies.

JANUARY CIRCULATION OF THE TIMES.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF Angeles, ss.

Harry Chandler, Assistant General [illegible] of the Los Angeles Times, does solemnly [illegible] that the actual number of copies of [illegible] printed and sold for each day of January, [illegible] as shown by the office records, was as follows:

JANUARY, 1903.

1	78,000	17	[illegible]
2	31,470	18	[illegible]
3	31,320	19	[illegible]
4	47,900	20	[illegible]
5	31,500	21	[illegible]
6	31,680	22	[illegible]
7	31,840	23	[illegible]
8	31,720	24	[illegible]
9	31,760	25	[illegible]
10	31,760	26	[illegible]
11	48,300	27	[illegible]
12	31,800	28	[illegible]
13	31,820	29	[illegible]
14	31,800	30	[illegible]
15	31,780	31	[illegible]
16	31,820		

Total.....[illegible]

HARRY CHANDLER.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this [illegible] day of February, 1903.

(Seal) T. L. [illegible]

Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

The average circulation for every day of January, 1903, was.....

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NOTE.—The Times is the only newspaper in Los Angeles which regularly makes sworn detailed circulation statements.

ADVERTISING RECORD.

For January, 1903, The Times printed a total volume of.....

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This is the largest volume of advertising printed in The Times in any single month; it is an average of nearly 100 columns a day. In fact, it is a larger volume of advertising than was printed in all other Los Angeles newspapers combined for the same month.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Reception.

A largely-attended reception [illegible] at Odd Fellows' Hall, Riverside, last afternoon, by the Woman's Club and the Extemporaneous Club, in honor of Mrs. L. F. [illegible] Mrs. F. M. Heath and [illegible] E. Hewitt, who had high [illegible] bestowed upon them by the [illegible] Federation of Woman's Clubs at [illegible] last week, when Mrs. Darling [illegible] president; Mrs. Heath, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. He[illegible] vice-president of the San Diego [illegible] Among those who assisted [illegible] receiving were Mrs. J. Mehaffey, president of the Riverside Woman's Club, [illegible] A. N. Wheelock, president of [illegible] Club; Mrs. G. H. Deere, president of the Extemporaneous Club, [illegible] Louise Harvey Clarke, president of the Business Woman's Club, [illegible] N. P. J. Button and Mrs. G. [illegible] vice-presidents of the [illegible] Club. A number of guests [illegible] places did honor to the [illegible] the occasion, including Mrs. [illegible] president of the Woman's Club of [illegible]; Mrs. Robert Garner, [illegible] and Mrs. Hadden of San Bernardino; Mrs. Evans of the Highland Hour Club, Mrs. Charles [illegible] and Mrs. Knox of The Colton [illegible] Club, Mrs. Jameson, president [illegible] Woman's Improvement Club; [illegible] the Misses Platt, and [illegible] of Corona; Mrs. Conklin [illegible] Val Verde Club, and Mrs. Pi[illegible] of the Perris Woman's Club. [illegible] impromptu speeches were [illegible] which Mrs. Darling, Mrs. He[illegible] Mrs. Hewitt responded in h[illegible] Tea was served, and music [illegible] throughout the afternoon. [illegible] High School Mandolin Club [illegible] presided at the tea table [illegible] Henderson, Mrs. James Bett[illegible] Hicks and Mrs. Rice.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

SCRAP OF THE DOCTORS.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 10.—The old [illegible] between Dr. J. C. Hearne and Dr. [illegible] has bobbed up again [illegible] form, the former having [illegible] arrest of Dr. Charles A. Lem[illegible] on the charge of practicing medi[illegible] the license required by [illegible] Lemon is associated with [illegible] in the management of [illegible] Sanatorium. Dr. Gochenaur [illegible] County Physician, and for seve[illegible] his reappointment by the Sup[illegible] has been vigorously opposed [illegible] Hearne, on the grounds of inc[illegible] Dr. Hearne has recently [illegible] identified with a proposition [illegible] a sanatorium and invalid [illegible] Mrs. Tingley's headqu[illegible] Point Loma, and is known [illegible] good terms with Mrs. Ti[illegible] members of her househ[illegible] one of the physicians who [illegible] Mrs. Tingley was too li[illegible] the deposition taken for use [illegible] Times-Times libel suit. Goc[illegible] Physician selected by [illegible] Society for the Prevention [illegible] Children to make an [illegible] of the doings at Po[illegible] Homestead, but who was p[illegible] from doing so by Mrs. Tingle[illegible] appeal to the courts.

MAINE FOLKS REUNION.

The Pine Tree State Association [illegible] at Blanchard Hall, No. 233 Bro[illegible] on Friday evening. The audie[illegible] be entertained with a literary a[illegible] programme. Among the spe[illegible] will be Hon. Bartlett Tripp, Unit[illegible] Minister to Austria, and w[illegible] Chairman of the Samoan Commi[illegible] and Charles A. Wilbur, a pro[illegible] lawyer of Maine, who is tour[illegible] California. All Maine people are [illegible] to come and bring their frien[illegible]

...EVER GIFT FROM HATCHET WOMAN.

...CENTENARIAN PAYS RESPECTS TO MRS. CARRIE NATION.

He Decorates Him With Characteristic Souvenir and Invites Him to Introduce Her to Audience at One of Her Lectures.

J. J. Overton, a courtly young gentleman of 105 years, came up from Long Beach yesterday to pay his respects to Mrs. Carrie Nation, the hand-ax reformer he had read about in the newspapers.

Mrs. Nation, at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. Butcher, at No. 1025 West Sixteenth street, received the visitor graciously, and inquired what manner of woman he had been led to believe she was.

"I suppose you thought I was a terrible," she said.

"No, not that," he replied, "but I thought you must be full of life."

The visit must have confirmed that notion of her. While she received him, she was writing a communication as visiting editor of a prohibition publication, and was at the same time entertaining two lady visitors. Incidentally she made a few caustic remarks about whisky, and, warming up to the subject, declared that God made no liquor. She quoted Scripture so as to convey an impression that Moses was one of the early Prohibitionists.

"I believe in temperance in all things," said Mr. Overton, when it had been explained that he had never used either tobacco. "I believe in being temperate in eating and drinking, as well as in the use of narcotics, and stimulants."

"I am particularly pleased to have met you," said Mrs. Nation," and I'm going to give you a hatchet."

She retired to another room, and returned in a moment with a pretty little silver hatchet, which she pinned onto the visitor's coat.

"Won't you come out to the Chutes and introduce me to the audience at one of my lectures?" she said to Mr. Overton. "About once in so often I am told of some man who has grown old and feeble. Now I want to be able to point to you as one who has reached the age of 105 years, and hasn't used tobacco."

Mrs. Nation's expressions were full of quotations from the Bible, but the centenarian visitor replied in kind, and made some very good hits.

"We shall probably never meet again," he said, as he was about to depart.

"Yes, we shall," she replied. "Now we see as through a glass darkly, but then we shall see each other face to face."

"But all the angels have separate apartments," he asked.

"No, I think they will," she said, as the interview closed. "According to what we hear of Gabriel, he was made different from the other angels, and I believe that each of them will be different from the others."

...MEN'S CLUBS.

...Section.

...attended reception was given by Odd Fellows' Hall, Riverside, ...afternoon, by the Woman's Club and the Extemporaneous Club, in honor of Mrs. L. F. Darling, Mrs. F. M. Heath and Mrs. ...Hewitt, who had high honors conferred upon them by the State Federation of Woman's Clubs at Fresno last week, when Mrs. Darling was made president; Mrs. Heath, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Hewitt, president of the San Diego district. Among those who assisted in receiving were Mrs. J. Meharg, president of the Riverside Woman's Club; Mrs. A. N. Wheelock, president of the Reform Club; Mrs. G. H. Deere, vice-president of the Extemporaneous Club; Dr. Louise Harvey Clarke, president of the Business Woman's Club, and Mrs. F. J. Button and Mrs. G. W. Hayes, vice-presidents of the Woman's Club. A number of guests from other places did honor to the guests of the occasion, including Mrs. Stiles, president of the Woman's Club of San Diego; Mrs. Robert Garner, Mrs. ...and Mrs. Hadden of San Bernardino, Mrs. Evans of the Highlands Study Club, Mrs. Charles Fulton, Mrs. Knapp of the Colton Woman's Club, Mrs. Jameson, president of the Woman's Improvement Club of Corona; Mrs. Conklin of the Del Verde Club, and Mrs. Plimpton of the Perris Woman's Club. Several impromptu speeches were made, when Mrs. Darling, Mrs. Heath and Mrs. Hewitt responded in happy vein. Tea was served, and music was rendered throughout the afternoon by the High School Mandolin Club. Those presiding at the tea table were Mrs. Anderson, Mrs. James Bettner, Mrs. Hobbs and Mrs. Rice.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

BRIEF OF THE DOCTORS.

[CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 10.—The old fight between Dr. J. C. Hearne and Dr. D. ...has bobbed up again in a manner the former having caused the ...of Dr. Charles A. Lehman charge of practicing medicine without license required by law. Dr. Lehman is associated with Dr. Hearne in the management of the sanatorium. Dr. Gochenauer is the City Physician, and for several ...appointment by the Superintendent has been vigorously opposed by ...on the grounds of incompetency. Dr. Hearne has recently been ...with a proposition for ...a sanatorium and invalids' home ...Mrs. Tingley's headquarters ...Loma, and is known to be on good terms with Mrs. Tingley. Members of her household, ...of the physicians who declared Mrs. Tingley was too ill to ...sition taken for use in the ...Haines libel suit. Gochenauer ...physician selected by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children to make an inquiry ...the doings at Point Loma, but who was prevented from doing so by Mrs. Tingley's ...in the courts.

...BIRD FOLKS REUNION.

...Free State Association will ...at Bernard Hall, No. 223 Broadway, ...Friday evening. The audience will be entertained with a literary and musical ...Among the speakers ...Mrs. Bartlett Tripp, United States ...to Austria, and who ...of the Samoan Commission, ...Charles A. Wilbur, a prominent ...of Maine, who is touring ...All Maine people are invited to come and bring their friends.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

Mrs. William M. Jack of Ellendale Place entertained at cards yesterday afternoon, in compliment to her niece, Mrs. William K. Flowerree of Montana, who is spending the winter in Los Angeles. Mrs. George Baker of Portland and Mrs. William W. D. Turner, also from Montana. Mrs. Adam Darling received with the hostess and guest of honor. The scoring and other minor hospitalities were the charge of Miss Ella Clark, Miss Huhsaker, Miss Darling and Miss Bessie Kinna.

About eighty women accepted Mrs. Jack's hospitality, which took the happy form of six-handed eucher. There were ten tables, set in the large reception hall, the drawing room and the library, and here, after the awarding of the prizes, the guests were served. Mrs. J. C. Cross, Mrs. A. J. Salisbury and Mrs. William S. Hook held the highest scores, and were awarded respectively a handsome candlestick of wrought silver, a cut-glass dish and a Rookwood vase. The assistants cut for a cut-glass bonbon dish, which was won by Miss Darling. The score cards were ornamented with Grecian heads and poinsettias.

Mrs. Jack had arranged exquisite floral decorations in all the rooms, which were used in combination with asparagus plumosus, fern sprays and lengths of red satin ribbon. Tulip shades in different colors subdued the electric lights.

Midday Luncheon.

Mrs. H. R. Lacey of No. 1648 South Burlington avenue entertained the Midday Luncheon Club yesterday. There were present: Mrs. W. W. Neuer, C. E. Payne, A. A. Hubbard, I. L. Hibbard, J. H. Davison, William Cook, G. Hutchinson, Haskell, P. Janss, John W. Trueworthy, Valentine Peyton and Douglas Turner from Pasadena.

Notes and Personals.

Mrs. Edwin Earl gave a daffodil luncheon yesterday, at her residence on Wilshire Boulevard, covers being laid for twelve. The round table held as its chief adornment a tall centerpiece of nodding daffodils, aranged with maidenhair fern.

J. R. Newberry will leave tomorrow for a vacation of six weeks, to be spent in Mexico. He is going for a complete rest, and will spend the time in a mining camp, of which he is an owner.

Mrs. E. R. Kellam will give a luncheon, to be followed by cards, at the Woman's Club House Monday.

Miss Esther Norton of No. 1010 Beacon street will accompany her brother, Adam F. Norton, on a tour of the principal Eastern cities. They will leave Saturday.

The ladies' auxiliary to the B. of L. E. will hold a valentine social dance at Brent's Hall Saturday.

RUBINO FOUND GUILTY.

Anarchist Who Tried to Kill King Leopold Sentenced to Life Imprisonment at Penal Servitude.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A. M.]

BRUSSELS, Feb. 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Gennaro Rubino, the Italian anarchist, who has been on trial here since February 6, charged with attempting to assassinate King Leopold, November 15, by firing three shots at the King while he was returning from the Cathedral, after attending a te deum mass in memory of the late Queen Henriette, was found guilty today, and was sentenced to imprisonment for life at penal servitude.

In closing his address, counsel for the defense appealed to the jury to act in a manner similar to that of the jury which tried Sipido (who attempted to assassinate the, then, Prince of Wales, now King Edward, at Brussels in April, 1900,) and "listening only to the voice of their social duty, acquit the accused."

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	34	26	30	New York ..	36	30	32
Washington	40	24	32	Buffalo	32	28	30
Pittsburgh ..	32	28	30	Cincinnati ..	44	32	38
Chicago	34	32	33	St. Paul	30	20	25
St. Louis ...	52	38	45	Kansas City	56	40	48
Los Angeles	62	46	54	Jacksonville	62	48	55

*The maximum is for February 9; the minimum for February 10. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 10.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.22; at 5 p.m., 30.13. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 59 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 65 per cent.; 5 p.m., 57 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 70 deg.; minimum, 46 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—A storm is passing east along the British border, and rain has fallen generally on the North Pacific Slope. Snow is falling in the middle plateau regions. Fair weather with moderating temperature prevails in Southern California. Light frost occured at Los Angeles and Red Bluff, and heavy at Independence.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Wednesday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Weather conditions and general forecast. Generally cloudy and threatening weather prevails over the northern portion of the Pacific Slope, and fair over the southern. Snow is falling in Southern Oregon and Southern Idaho. Rain has fallen along the California coast north of Cape Mendocino. The pressure has risen rapidly over the northern portion of the Pacific Slope and fallen over the southern. The temperature has fallen over Washington and Oregon and risen over Nevada, Utah and Northern Arizona.

Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Wednesday, except foggy along the coast in the morning, and probably showers on the extreme northwest coast; light northerly wind.

Southern California: Fair Wednesday; light northeast wind.

Nevada: Fair Wednesday.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Wednesday, except foggy in the morning; light northwest wind.

Sacramento and vicinity: Fair Wednesday; light north wind.

Arizona: Fair Wednesday and Thursday.

Tide Table.—For San Pedro:

	High.	Low.
Wednesday, Feb. 11..........	8:43 a.m.	2:27 a.m.
	9:44 p.m.	3:12 p.m.
Thursday, " 12..........	9:29 a.m.	3:11 a.m.
	10:21 p.m.	3:54 p.m.
Friday, " 13..........	10:14 a.m.	3:57 a.m.
	10:59 p.m.	4:27 p.m.
Saturday, " 14..........	10:59 a.m.	4:42 a.m.
	11:35 p.m.	5:03 p.m.
Sunday, " 15..........	11:45 a.m.	5:31 a.m.
		5:38 p.m.
Monday, " 16..........	0:13 a.m.	6:19 a.m.
	12:37 p.m.	6:22 p.m.
Tuesday, " 17..........	0:38 a.m.	7:24 a.m.
	1:40 p.m.	7:12 p.m.

Liners.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

$100 REWARD FOR INFORMATION WHICH will supply proof of birth of boy now in Chicago. Mother went a stranger to Los Angeles or vicinity about May, 1891, when boy was born. Mother left shortly after birth, returned about a month after for child and took him away. Describe mother in order to identify. All information confidential. Address R. 34, care LORD & THOMAS, Chicago. 15

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WANTED — PARTNER; MAN WITH $600; will guarantee $35 week; money secured; too much for one man to handle; established 3 years; prefer man for outside; hours 8 to 5; business easily learned; hustler necessary. Address T, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 15

WANTED—$375; HALF INTEREST IN splendid paying well-established business here in city, outdoor work; experience not necessary; will bear closest investigation. Call mornings. JULIAN J. LEWIS, 114 Stimson Block. 13

WANTED—PARTNERSHIP PROPOSITIONS for active people, with about $1000 cash, to invest; we have many clients for the right openings in existing businesses. INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BUREAU, 215 Copp Bldg. 11

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WANTED — PARTNER WITH $150; CANDY business; fine location. Call or address 453½ CENTRAL AVE. 12

WANTED—PARTNER, MANUFACTURING business, big profits. 238 BROADWAY, room 421.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED—ROOMS— FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED, WITH AND WITHOUT BOARD. We have opened a department for the handling of the above in connection with our long-established house-renting department, and are prepared to handle same PROFITABLY FOR YOU on an entirely new plan. Apply at office for information. WRIGHT & CALLENDER, 323 S. HILL ST., Wright & Callender Bldg.

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WANTED—YOUNG LADY DESIRES ROOM, breakfast and dinner in refined, private family for $4 a week, near University or Traction car line. 757 W. 18TH. 'Phone Pico 1032.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT woman, experienced in keeping boarding-house, to rent dining-room in boarding-house; 15 steady boarders and extra meals. For particulars, 'PHONE PICO 1813. 11

WANTED — TO LOCATE THE UNDERground streams of water on your place; tell you how far to and through them. S. R. DEACON, 502 W. 27th st., Los Angeles. 21

WANTED — RESPECTABLE ADULTS TO join equestrian party to San Diego and return. Send names and addresses to H. B., box 201, HOTEL WESTMINSTER.

WANTED—ALL KINDS OF MATTRESSES remade over at your residences; furniture furnishing a specialty. 220 S. MAIN, in basement. 12

WANTED—GOOD HOME FOR BOY 7 YEARS old; none others need apply; must be close in. Address T, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—IF A. J. JENKINS OF ILLINOIS is in the city, will he please send address to WM. YOCUM, 1049 Byram st., city. 11

WANTED—PIANO TUNING $2; 1000 references. BLOOMFIELD, 1224 W. Washington. Phone Park 629. 11

WANTED — POCKET SIDE LINE FOR drummer. Address S, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 11

WANTED—THE LADY WHO CALLED AT 543 S. OLIVE Sunday to call again; has boy. 11

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—

ALTHOUSE BROS., 222-224 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 'PHONE MAIN 263.

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$3750—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

Near 9th st. A fine, new, modern cottage with six large rooms; very fine lighting fixtures; beautiful decorated walls; well finished; good cement cellar; bathroom with porcelain tub; good pantries; plenty of closets. A most desirable attractive place, homelike and cosy. The house is well built and well planned. $3750 is a low price for a place like this.

$9250—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

This is a new, modern residence with ten rooms. Beautiful reception hall with beamed ceilings; fine mantel in the drawing-room; beautiful library with brick mantel and circular bay window; large dining-room; most convenient kitchen; large cement basement; stationary laundry tubs; very handsome entrance of solid ... heavy oak with fine plate-glass art windows; elegantly finished downstairs in Flemish oak with solid oak floors; very fine lighting fixtures; plumbing throughout the house is the best; five large bedrooms finished in white enamel, with polished and waxed floors; good closets; plenty of windows; fine bath with porcelain tub; finest nickel plumbing in the bathroom; three toilets; two lavatories. Splendidly well built; a finely finished house throughout; cheap at $9250.

$11,000—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

There is not a better built or better planned house in the city than this. Located in the most beautiful part of the Westlake section on a highly-elevated lot with fine granite retaining wall; lot is 61x154 feet to alley. A ten-room, new, modern residence that was built for a home. No money or trouble has been spared in making this an ideal home. Finished throughout in the very finest select white cedar; heavy select oak floors downstairs; elegant electric fixtures; very best tinting with the most expensive hand decorations; beamed ceilings in the handsome reception hall; large drawing-room with fine mantel, window seats and plate-glass windows; dining-room is a large beautiful room, many large windows, making it bright and sunny; also very fine buffet with large beveled plate mirror; large kitchen has every convenience and two splendid pantries; large back porch with stationary tubs; a very fine furnace in the cement basement; five beautiful large sleeping rooms all with plate-glass windows; seven large closets; linen closet; elegant bathroom with the very finest nickel plumbing; good attic. This is a complete and elegant home from top to bottom. Every piece of material used is good and it is thoroughly well built. Very handsome, imposing place. There are large, beautiful lawns both front and rear; many fine flowers and shrubs. The man who is looking for a fine home, perfect in the least detail, will find it in this place.

$13,000—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

Search far and wide, but a better built, more convenient house cannot be found than this. Located in a beautiful part of the Westlake district. A ten-room, new, modern residence. Beautiful large reception hall with beamed ceilings; the elegant drawing-room is finished in white enamel and has large plate-glass windows and very fine mantel; a handsome brick mantel in the large library; also beautiful circular plate-glass bay windows; the dining-room has heavy beamed ceilings; kitchen has every convenience and two large pantries; large cement basement fitted with very fine furnace; finished downstairs in Flemish oak with heavy oak floors; finest lighting fixtures money can buy; the whole house is artistically tinted and decorated; five sleeping rooms are large and all finished in white enamel; seven big closets; large linen closet; fine balcony; superb bathroom; very finest nickel plumbing; large windows all over the house; very finely finished billiard-room on the third floor has five large windows; there are registers throughout the entire house, including the billiard-room. This is a rich, elegant, costly home complete, and is as handsome as money can make it. The lot is 60x135 feet, is highly elevated with a fine granite retaining wall; lawn both front and rear; beautiful shrubs and flowers. This house was built and laid out for a home and there is not one thing lacking to make it perfect. A description can give but a faint idea of the beauty of this place. You must see it to appreciate it. $13,000 is a low figure.

$12,000—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

Nine-room, new, modern residence; finished downstairs in solid oak; finest lighting fixtures; plate-glass windows all over the house; beamed ceilings; fine solid oak buffet built in; large cement cellar with fine furnace; also fruit cellar; drawing-room and living-room are both very large; reception hall is handsome; beautiful, large, airy bed chambers with good closets; fine linen closet; elegant bathroom; two lavatories. Here is a house that was built for a home, built for comfort, built for beauty. It could not be more complete. The lot is finely elevated and the house faces east. It is a very cosy, attractive place and a special bargain at $12,000.

$12,500—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

Located on a beautiful large lot, 76x160 feet to 15-foot alley; fine ornamental wall surrounds the lot. There is a large lawn and many beautiful flowers. The house has ten beautiful rooms; is finished in Flemish and weathered oak; floors are of solid oak; walls are beautifully decorated; lighting fixtures are the very finest; fine plate-glass windows throughout; superb Tiffany art dome; very handsome sideboard; fine brick mantel with gas grate; both gas and electricity all over the house; fine furnace; good laundry room; superb bath; every room in the house is large and commands a magnificent view. Built after model plans; a perfect home.

$15,000—WESTLAKE RESIDENCE.

In a fine location near 9th and Westlake ave. Plate-glass windows all over the house; very fine lighting fixtures and the very best plumbing; three fine mantels; beautiful reception hall; fine drawing-room; cosy library; large dining-room; cheery and bright breakfast room; kitchen is most convenient; good laundry room; bedrooms are large; ten large closets; large dressing-room with fine cedar closet with drawers, shelves and windows; two bathrooms; four toilets; four lavatories; finished attic with two bedrooms and billiard-room; house fitted with furnace. This is a new, modern house that was built for a home and it has every possible convenience. It is necessary that the owner sell this house and sell quickly. He has marked it to go at $15,000, but it is worth many hundred dollars more.

ALTHOUSE BROS.
'PHONE MAIN 263. 11

FOR SALE—HOUSES— ELEGANT MODERN 8-ROOM HOUSE, LONE STAR TRACT; THIS IS A SOUTHWEST CORNER, 75x140 TO ALLEY; THIS HOUSE HAS ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS, GOOD BARN, ETC.

—$6000—

ALVARADO ST., EAST FRONT, FINE 9-ROOM, 2-STORY HOUSE, LOT 50x150 TO ALLEY; YOU WILL LIKE THIS PLACE; IT IS CHEAP

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W. 16TH ST., NO. 840, BEAUTIFUL 2-STORY MODERN RESIDENCE; THIS PLACE IS BEAUTIFULLY TINTED AND DECORATED AND HAS FINE CEMENT BASEMENT.

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UNION AVE., ELEGANT MODERN RESIDENCE OF 9 ROOMS, FANCY BRICK FRONT, TINTED AND DECORATED, LARGE ROOMS, FINE FIREPLACE—A VERY PRETTY PLACE.

—$5750—

SOUTHWEST, FINE 7-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, CEMENT BASEMENT, LAWNS, ETC.

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MODERN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE, SOUTHWEST, HAS FURNACE, GAS AND ELECTRICITY, CEMENT CELLAR. IN FACT, EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE.

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Nearly new 11-room residence, with three beautiful mantels elegantly tiled bathroom with instantaneous heater; oak floors; all bedchambers enameled; residence most beautifully and artistically decorated throughout by Italian artist; Flemish dining-room with stained glass windows.

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FOR SALE—BRICK HOUSE, CHEAP; FIVE rooms; four 25-foot lots; large barn and tankhouse; property fenced; fruit trees. Apply to MRS. L. CONLIFF, Fullerton. 11

FOR SALE— Houses.

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A BONANZA FOR SOMEONE. IMMEDIATE POSSESSION GIVEN.

Buy it. Live in it as long as you care to. Then sell it. You can't possibly lose anything on it. You may make $5000. In any event, you'll have a nice place while you do have it, rent free. And you can get $100 a month for it if you want to rent it to somebody else.

It is a beautiful place, beautifully equipped for solid comfort. It is on a fine 100-foot street, with a 5-minute car service and a 5-cent fare.

The house is a nice one. It has the combination gas and electric fixtures, porcelain baths, instantaneous heater and all that.

The grounds are spacious—100x400 feet—and highly improved. There are trees in abundance, fruit and ornamental—beautiful trees, large and thrifty. There are at least a dozen orange trees alone, Washington navels, loaded down at present with fruit.

There is a $500 barn, and a number of other neat, nice-looking outhouses, for the Jersey, the chickens and the dog; and a carriage and horse, and two bicycles—one of them chainless and brand new—and about a hundred fine thoroughbred chickens—Silver-Laced Wyandottes.

Connected with the house by a porte-cochere, in a sort of pagoda, is a billiard-room that is a gem. It was designed and built for the purpose, quite lately, at an expense of over a thousand dollars. In it is a fine new Brunswick-Balke-Collender billiard table and equipments, all of the very best, and corresponding with the elegant room.

The house is furnished throughout, tastefully and abundantly and "everything goes," including the $700 piano, the horse, carriage and chickens, the typewriter and desk, the fine library, and the silver.

WE HAVE AN OPTION ON THE PROPERTY AT $7250. The house and its contents are insured for $5000. The ground is insured—against any possible flaw in the title—for $3200. Both policies will be assigned to the purchaser.

S. K. LINDLEY & CO.,
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FOR SALE—

MAGNER, GREELEY & SMOCK, Suite 411, Grant Bldg.

Elegantly located in Westlake district, 8-room residence, built for a home; almost new; polished floors, coved and decorated ceilings, tinted walls, two toilets, porcelain bath, nickel plumbing, fine lawn; $4500, $1000 cash, and $30 per month.

—$4250—

A handsome Vermont ave. residence, with 8 large rooms and reception hall, polished oak floors, beautiful combination gas and electric fixtures, two toilets, fine bath, laundry tubs, 4 large bedrooms, house is new, never been occupied; terms $2000 cash.

11 'PHONE JOSEPH 4726.

FOR SALE—$5250—HERE IS THE GREATest snap in an eight-room, two-story, strictly modern and up-to-date residence in the city, located in one of the most desirable residence locations in west part of the city; east front; lot 50x140 to 20-foot alley, and only 150 feet from one of the best electric lines; brown stone and pressed brick front; piped for furnace; wired for electricity; piped for gas, and all connections made; cove ceilings, polished floors, upstairs and down; beautifully hand-decorated throughout; house new and cost $2350 to build, which can be proved by the bills; lot is worth $3000, making $5850 actual cost; will sell within the next few days for $5250. NOLAN & SMITH, 228 W. Second. 13

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FOR SALE—

$1550—$250 cash, $15 per month, nice little cottage, large lot, close to Central ave. car line.

$2200—$300 cash, $25 per month, 6-room up-to-date cottage, pretty street.

$1850—$250 cash, $20 per month, large lot, improved street.

$2100—$300 cash, $30 per month, 5-room new, never occupied, Menlo Park tract.

$1600—$200 cash, $15 per month, 5-room cottage, 15th and San Pedro.

EDWARD C. CRIBB,
11 218 Broadway.

FOR SALE — ELEGANT 10-ROOM RESIDENCE ON BONNIE BRAE ST., practically new; combination brownstone and wood; furnace, finished attic, speaking tubes; all the modern conveniences; fine shrubbery and barn; only $6900.

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FOR SALE—IF YOU ARE LOOKING FOR a modern, up-to-date home at low figure, call on me as I have a fine home which I will sell at a sacrifice if sold this week as I need the money. I built it for a home one year ago, has 10 large rooms and billiard-room, 3 mantels, 1 brick, 1 maple and 1 natural pine, hand carved; oak floors throughout; cement basement and furnace; 2 laundry tubs, 3 lavatories, 2 baths, location Burlington ave.; the lot is 75x150. Address S, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 11

FOR SALE—$3000 EACH. A GREAT BARGAIN. OWNER NEEDS THE MONEY. Two new modern 7-room residences can be bought for $500 less than value; NOS. 143 AND 153 E. 37TH ST.; elegant location, fine street; take Main-st. car to Jefferson, only two blocks south; make me an offer; small cash payment accepted.

J. W. CHALMERS, Owner,
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FOR SALE—

$12,500—ONE OF THE BEST HOME PLACES IN WESTLAKE SECTION.

$9000—9-ROOM HOUSE ON GRAND VIEW AVE.

$4250—8-ROOM NEW AND MODERN, SOUTHWEST.

$1850—5-ROOM COTTAGE, ON 29TH ST.

L. L. BOWEN,
11 230½ S. SPRING.

FOR SALE—2 GOOD LOTS.

Arapahoe near 12th, 65x145.

83 feet on Alvarado Terrace; owner anxious to sell; make offer.

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Room 322, Byrne Bldg., Third and Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—

$4700—A fine home on a very sightly corner, not far from the Van Nuys residence on W. Sixth st.; the house is nearly new, well arranged and built by the owner for a home; it is a good buy; has 8 rooms and a large lot.

GRAY & THOMAS,
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FOR SALE—

$5000—9 rooms—one of those elegant homes—one block west of Westlake Park, large lot, east front;
will rent and pay interest on $6000.
Do not misunderstand us, must be sold. See us at office.
No triflers or telephoners wanted.
We must do business.
EDWARD C. CRIBB, 218 Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—$7500; GREAT BARGAIN IN Westlake district; 10-room house, strictly modern in every respect and built for a home; lot 50x150; lawn, flowers, fruit; magnificent mountain and ocean view and only 15 minutes to Broadway and Third st. STATE OF CALIFORNIA RENTAL AND INVESTMENT AGENCY, 306 W. Seventh st., near Broadway. 13

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, A MODEL HOME in the southwest, $3000, if sold at once; 5-room cottage, with screen porch, modern bath, gas, electricity, mantel, gas grate, cement walks, lawn, flowers, fruits, vegetables, berries; West Side water; no dust; built for a home; on University car line; good reason for selling; terms. 942 W. 32d st. Owner, 306 S. MAIN. 11

FOR SALE—$4000; MUST BE SOLD; MY 8-room house, almost new, reception hall, coved ceilings, tinted walls, fine electric fixtures, nickel plumbing, set wash tubs, built for a home by day labor; high ground; large lot; southwest; in swell neighborhood; the best offer takes it. Address owner, T, box 24, TIMES OFFICE. 11

FOR SALE—

$2000—Was $3200; 7 rooms, 30th near Main st.
$850—60x125, 30th near Maple.
The above are real snaps.

DAVISON & LONGE,
Rooms 244-6, Wilcox Bldg.
Branch, 1931 CENTRAL. 11

FOR SALE—SPLENDID LOCATION; A very desirable, modern 6-room cottage, lot 50x150 to alley. 712 W. LAKE AVE. 13

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, AT A fine cottage, 6 large rooms, barn, lawn, in fine condition; barn, lawn, lot; close in; southwest; strictly modern 5-room cottage, ave., near car shops and tance from heart of city. WRIGHT ST.

FOR SALE—SANTA CLARA; cottage, 7 rooms, barns, ments; 20 kind fruit, sewerage, water; corner lots; best 152x152; college, High School, fruit section; value $4900. apply to D. KELLER, P.O. Clara, Cal.

FOR SALE—2039 VERMONT AVE., oak floors in main rooms, balance finished pine; combination light ed; stationary wash tubs toilet, hallseat, cool closet, plete, finished in white cedar; O. TEMAIN, owner, 2016 Vermont

FOR SALE—WE CAN BUILD strictly modern 5-room cottage, selected white pine, nickel plumbing, lain bath, marble washbowl, gas, electricity, screens, shades, plete for $1400; $300 down, balance KITTS & WILLIAMSON, 123 W. Third.

FOR SALE—MODERN, ATTRACTIVE house, 9 rooms, 5 sleeping rooms, tricity, furnace, fixtures, two mantels, board, bookcase, shades, cement walks cove ceilings; lot 54x135 side street; southwest. Owner, INGTON ST. Price $6800.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL handsomely furnished, aristocratic cated near Westlake; strictly modern $15,...; owner going East and easy terms. M'KOON & METCALF, Broadway, room 220.

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FOR SALE—NEW, MODERN, tage, large rooms, light and airy, will sell at a bargain if taken a fine new, 10-room house, beautiful home; will sell less than owner, forenoons, 1255 W. 29TH ST.

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FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL, NEW, ern home of 8 full rooms, polished floors, tinted walls, southwest $4000; $1150 cash, balance 6 per cent. W. F. FORD, way.

FOR SALE—$6500; 9-ROOM, NEW, occupied; solid oak floors, swell est of plumbing, 5 sleeping-rooms, ner lot; southwest; great bargain; offer. EDWARD C. CRIBB, 218

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, MODERN house, southwest; it's all right, $4000, but will take considerably have some money; would rent $35. Address T, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—AT SACRIFICE terms, $300 cash, 5-room strictly NEW cottage, No. 646 E. 31st st. Pedro car. Owner must sell quick. 26, 112 N. MAIN. 'Phone James

FOR SALE—$1450; 4 ROOMS, 3 lots, fenced, well, windmill, cash and $10 per month; 49th st. Central ave. COOK & SON, and Central ave.

FOR SALE — IN HIGHLAND PARK, feet; south front; Avenue 52; on Monte Vista and Avenue $3000 house, $450. W. N. HOLWAY, Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL NEW modern house on W. 12th st., borhood; only $3600 for quick $1000; terms. KITTS & WILLIAMSON, W. Third.

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FOR SALE—5 NEW MODERN corner 15th and Hope, $300 cash monthly. ALEX MACKEIGAN agents, 616 Trust Bldg. Tel. M.

FOR SALE—GREAT BARGAIN, room residence furnace, polished erything modern, east front. 3. OWNER, 3007 S. Grand ave.

FOR SALE—$1295, FORCED SALE; room cottage, nice lot with alley; $17; near Kohler and Seventh, REALTY CO., 224 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM MODERN price $2250; lot 50x150; $300 cash, terms; also good lots from $150 REALTY CO., 417 Trust Bldg.

FOR SALE—$1200; $200 CASH, suit, good 4-room house, on near car line; lot 40x147½. GIVEN, 212 Stimson Blk.

FOR SALE—WILL SELL OR $3500, 32-room house, central, want house and lot, city. T. 230½ S. Spring, room 304.

FOR SALE—$200 CASH, $20 PER room cottage, south side Newton $2000. THOS. J. HAMPTON, way. 'Phone Peter 4041.

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FOR SALE—$6000; JUST COMPLETED, of the finest 9-room houses ever this city. T. A. WELLS, 230½ room 224.

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FOR SALE—$2800; MODERN tage in fine condition; gas, off Downey ave.; shown ALTA.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—7-ROOM S. Workman and Vallejo sts. door south. J. R. LEFFLER,

FOR SALE—FOR CASH, ern cottage, furnished or unfurnished lot. Inquire 1059 WALL ST.

FOR SALE—NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE in on car line. See owner,

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$6500—102 feet frontage. Best buy on Main st.

$5500—Olive st., close in. 50x165; income $45. Fine site for flats.

$1500—Beautiful lot, S.W., in best residence section; a snap.

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FOR SALE—

$8750—S.W. corner Seventh,
$7000—50 ft., Maple, between
$6000—76x120, Eighth near Wall.
$3250—S.E. cor. 28th, Grand ave.
$700—Fine lots, Golf Park tract.
$25,000—S.W. corner Seventh and stores, 160 rooms.
$12,500—6 flats, 32 rooms, close in.
$6000—4 new flats, 806 E. Eighth.
$2500—6-room cottage, 823 Towne
$1850—New 5-room cottage, block west of W. Washington.

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We have the cheapest and the best lots in this tract for sale.

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LOTS 40x135 AND 45x135.
PRICES $[illegible] TO $[illegible].
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STREET WORK FINISHED.
OFFICE ON THE TRACT.

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FACES HALLDALE AVE.
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[illegible] ONE-THIRD DOWN, BALANCE
IN 6 AND 12 MONTHS.
[illegible] BUILDING RESTRICTIONS.
[illegible] EASY WALKING DISTANCE
FROM FIRST AND SPRING STS.
TAKE FIRST-STREET CAR
DIRECT TO THE PROPERTY.
OFFICE ON THE TRACT.
STRONG & DICKINSON, AGENTS,
[illegible] S. BROADWAY.
TEL. MAIN 1273.
12

[illegible] SALE—LOTS—
[illegible] ST., CLOSE IN, LOT 50x157 TO ALLEY; FINE FOR FLATS.
—$[illegible]—
[illegible] ST., CLOSE IN, LOT 60x165; [illegible]; FINE BUY.
—$[illegible]—
[illegible] ST., THIS SIDE OF HOPE ST., [illegible] FEET FRONTAGE AND IS [illegible]; REMEMBER, SIXTH ST IS [illegible] PROPERTY. THIS IS CHEAP.
—$7500—
[illegible] AVE., VICTOR HALL TRACT, [illegible] TO ALLEY.
—$[illegible] EACH—
[illegible] SOUTHWEST CORNER IN [illegible] DISTRICT, 150x135 TO AN [illegible] CAN BE BOUGHT VERY [illegible] AT ONCE; YOU WILL [illegible]
—$[illegible]—
[illegible] SOUTHWEST CORNER, 100x[illegible] SIDE OF PICO AND [illegible] IS VERY CHEAP AT
—$[illegible],500—
[illegible] ADAMS AND VERMONT, [illegible] WILL CONSIDER A [illegible]
—$[illegible]—
[illegible] ST., LONE STAR TRACT, 50x[illegible]
—$[illegible]—
[illegible], NOTHING BETTER FOR [illegible]
—$1750—
[illegible] NEAR BIXEL, 50x150; THIS [illegible] HIGH GROUND.
—$[illegible]—
MINES & FARISH,
[illegible] BRADBURY BLDG.

THE BELL TRACT
HAS GROWN.
[illegible] anywhere until you see the Bell [illegible] placed on sale December [illegible] acres have been sold, over [illegible] The remaining [illegible] lots [illegible] Salt Lake road [illegible] Los Angeles [illegible]
[illegible] & HAMILTON,
[illegible] W. SECOND ST.

[illegible] ADAMS STREET TRACT.
$[illegible]
$[illegible]
[illegible] new tract situated between [illegible] Twenty-seventh streets, 2 blocks [illegible] lots on Raymond [illegible] lots on Van Buren [illegible] High-class building restrictions.
PERCY H. CLARK.
224 Byrne Bldg.

[illegible] BARGAIN LOTS.
[illegible] very choicest lots in the [illegible] Heights tract; 50x135; ad[illegible] level, high and sightly lot [illegible] Bonnie Brae; 50x150; want [illegible] W. Ninth, just the place [illegible] lots held at $[illegible] per front [illegible] double frontage, n'ar Fig[illegible] front lot on Union ave. [illegible] all below their actual [illegible]
[illegible] Douglas Bldg. 44

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
AN IDEAL LOCATION FOR
A NEW YORK APARTMENT.
THIS LOT CAN BE BOUGHT
AT A PRICE THAT WILL
WARRANT A 20 PER CENT. INCOME.

$3000—THE CHEAPEST CORNER IN THE BONNIE BRAE TRACT.

$2000—BEST LOT LEFT FOR THE MONEY IN THE DOWNEY TRACT.

75 FEET. A VERY FINE RESIDENCE SITE, FACING TWO VERY ELEGANT BLOCKS.

$3500—A DESIRABLE CORNER, HIGH AND SIGHTLY.

$2500—THE CHEAPEST LOT ON ALVARADO STREET BETWEEN MARYLAND AND TWELFTH.
11 C.P. DEYOE, 212 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
SUBDIVISION, 1—3 IN SUBDIVISION.
10 ACRES, 10 ACRES.
More money made in SUBDIVIDING WELL-LOCATED TRACTS, and selling the LOTS, than in any other class of city property.
We have the best LOCATED 10 acres in the city, and at a PRICE AFFORDING BIG PROFITS. W. A. VARCOE & CO., 212 Frost Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—TWO LOTS, CARROLL AVE., Angeleno Heights, 50x126 each; sewered, graded and walks; all complete; one block from new electric line; 10 minutes' ride from First and Broadway; access to them from three electric lines; Carroll ave. is the cream of the heights; from these lots you have a commanding view of mountains, valleys and ocean; it's booming; now is your opportunity to secure a bargain; these are offered far below par; see the owner immediately and save paying commission. ROOM 1, 414 S. Hill. 11

FOR SALE—
KINNEY HEIGHTS.
KINNEY HEIGHTS.
Beautiful lots in this high, elevated tract from $600 to $1100, 50x150 each. Take Green Traction car to W. Adams st.
PERCY H. CLARK, Agent,
224 Byrne Bldg.

FOR SALE—A FINE LOT ON THE HIGH ground, west of Alvarado Terrace, on Vermont ave., in a district of fine new homes, at a price so low that in justice to adjoining property it is not mentioned. We violate no confidence with the owner when we explain that she is forced to sacrifice this property. If you have idle money, you can well afford to investigate this proposition. JOHNSON & DAYTON, 712 Trust Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—
$50 DOWN, $10 PER MONTH,
WILL BUY YOU A LARGE LOT
ON 28TH OR 29TH STREETS,
JUST WEST OF CENTRAL AVE.
PRICES $350 TO $450.
E. A. FORRESTER & SONS,
441 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—CITY LOTS—
$3000—2 lots, 40x140 each, on E. Seventh st., near Santa Fe ave.
$1250—50x150 on W. Fifth st., near Bonnie Brae.
$1275—75x146 to alley, on E. 23d, near Maple ave., a corner.
$600—50x125, on E. 33d st., near Main.
11 TAYLOR & GURMAN, 117 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—60 FEET ON OLIVE, NORTH OF Sixth, only half improved; income $1950; price $21,000.
Sixth st., near Figueroa, 60x120; nothing better for flats and rooming-house; $70 per foot; south; close in and high.
E. G. ROBINSON,
11 501 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—3 BARGAINS IN CHOICE RESIDENCE LOTS ON 23D ST., ½ BLOCK FROM CENTRAL; GREAT BARGAINS; $[illegible] EACH; $1900 FOR THREE. C. W. NICKLIN, ROOM 307, GRANT BLDG., CORNER FOURTH AND BROADWAY. 11

FOR SALE—50x145 FEET, ON CENTRAL ave. north of Washington st.; $1200; best buy on Central. DAVISON & LONGE, rooms 244-5, Wilcox Bldg. Branch 1531 Central ave. 12

FOR SALE—$6500; LOT 50x150, GRAND AVE., fronts 2 streets; fine location for flats; five blocks from First and Spring sts. W. A. JOHNSON, Agent, 105 S. Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—4 LEVEL LOTS NEAR LONG Beach car line off Washington; 40x120; price $300 each; $25 cash, $10 per month. Address S, box 40, TIMES OFFICE. 11

FOR SALE—50 FT. LOT, W. SIXTH, 200 FT. W. Figueroa, $3250; lot 50x125, Bonita tract, $350; 60-ft. lot, west side Centre, north Eighth, $750. STANTON, 501 Grant Blk. 11

FOR SALE—LOT, $700; NEAR UNIVERSITY, one block from three car lines; next to new cottage; street work done; no agents. Address owner, 1810 W. 29TH. 11

FOR SALE—E. SEVENTH-ST. LOTS AT A bargain. Owner, room 312, AMERICAN BANK, corner Second and Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST CLOSE-IN RESIDENCE lots in city; liberal terms. See NILES, owner, Washington and Maple ave. 11

FOR SALE—4 LOTS IN THE SOUTHWEST at a bargain; must be sold at once. OSCAR F. SMITH, 219 W. Fifth st. 11

FOR SALE—BOYLE HEIGHTS INCOME corner. WHEELER, 1622 San Fernando st. 15

FOR SALE—$950; LOT ON 32D NEAR SAN Pedro. Owner, 1618 TRINITY ST. 12

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—
SANTA ANA REAL ESTATE CO.
21 AND 22 HERVEY BLOCK,
SANTA ANA, CAL.
HOUSES, LOTS, RANCHES FOR SALE; MODERATE PRICES. SANTA ANA HAS THE BEST CLIMATE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA TO LIVE IN AND AT THE SAME TIME THE CHEAPEST PLACE TO LIVE IN THE UNITED STATES. SOIL WILL GROW ANYTHING OUTSIDE OF TROPICAL FRUITS. THE VEGETABLES GROWN IN THIS SECTION CANNOT BE DUPLICATED ANYWHERE. SANTA FE OR SOUTHERN PACIFIC TAKES YOU THERE. WRITE US WHEN YOU ARE COMING AND WILL MEET YOU AT DEPOT AND DRIVE YOU THROUGH THE COUNTRY.

FOR SALE—800 ACRES IN SOUTHERN ARIZONA; 125 acres alfalfa; several hundred cultivated; good fences, good buildings, new corral, abundance of water from the Gila River; will pay 25 per cent. on price, $32,000; adjoining land cheap; tree ranged.
South Pasadena—Nice 6-room house, bedside bath, good outbuildings, fruits all kinds; lot 100x150 feet; opposite Baptist Church on Mission st.; also on Oak st., one-half block from electric cars, nice house, 9 rooms, pantry and bath, large barn and outhouses, orchard and large variety of fruits; lot 80x175 feet; price $2100 each; a little cash, balance your own terms.
C. H. WILLARD,
11 R. 2, Fullerton, Cal.

FOR SALE—$1600; 10 ACRES, FINE SOIL, water piped, on Main ave., Alhambra.
$3500—92 acres, 10 acres full-bearing apples, good house, near Ventura, on Nordhoff branch.
$4400—26½ acres best peatland, celery and potatoes.
$11,000—27½ acres solid in fine fruit, new house, plenty water, telephone, etc.; at Eagle Rock; close in.
E. W. KINNEY,
11 105 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—SONOMA COUNTY; TEMPERATE sunny climate with sufficient rainfall to insure all crops without irrigation. Crop failures unknown; near San Francisco; ready market; vast variety of products. Send stamp for property list and map. THE GUY E. GROSSE CO., Santa Rosa, Cal.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA RANCH; THE FINEST in Southern California, barring none; 60 acres; $3000 house; also small one, renting for $6; large pumping plant; $400 worth of water sold from it last year; can deliver this at a bargain. ZIMMER, RISLEY & GRAHAM, 108 S. Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—SALT LAKE ROAD WILL soon be running. For State lands in Southern Nevada, with plenty of water, at $1.25 per acre, 25c down, see J. F. M'PHERSON, 415 Stimson Block, cor. Third and Spring. A commissioner for Nevada in California.

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A 20-ACRE home in beautiful La Habra Valley? 45 minutes run on new electric car line; plenty of water. Price from $100 to $125 per acre; easy terms. W. J. HOLE, owner, 349 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH, 1¼ ACRES, East Los Angeles, 3-roomed cottage, barn, etc., berries, $2300; another near Downey, with plenty of water, 5-roomed house, $1250. T. L. CHAPIN, 109 S. Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—TWO SECTIONS, CHOICE vineyard land, immediately adjoining Rosena Station on Southern California Railroad. Address JOSEPH R. BRANDON, 604 Merchant st., San Francisco.

FOR SALE—$9000 BUYS A 10-ACRE WALNUT ranch, within 10 miles of this office, or would exchange for city; income last year was $1000. WINGET BROS., 244½ S. Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—5-ACRE FRUIT RANCH, GOOD windmill and water; all under cultivation. MRS. GEORGE LYNCH, corner 40th st. and Denker ave. 11

FOR SALE—$100; ACRE ALFALFA LAND, 7 miles from city. 218 BROADWAY, room 421. 11

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
PI&T CO.
SEVENTH TO PICO, MAIN TO FIGUEROA.
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FLATS AND APARTMENT HOUSES.
FLATS AND APARTMENT HOUSES.
WE ARE APPLYING OURSELVES TO THIS CHOICE DISTRICT. WHY? BECAUSE THERE IS NO QUESTION BUT WHAT IT OFFERS THE SUREST CHANCE FOR QUICK RETURNS AND IS COMPARATIVELY, AT PRESENT PRICES, THE CHEAPEST SECTION IN THE CITY; IT WILL ALWAYS BE GOOD INCOME PROPERTY AND IS THE NATURAL SECTION FOR FINE HIGH-PRICED FLATS, APARTMENT HOUSES AND SELECT BOARDING-HOUSES AND FAMILY HOTELS. EVERY FOOT OF IT, IF BUILT UP FOR THESE PURPOSES, COULD BE READILY RENTED AT FAR BETTER FIGURES THAN PREVAIL IN ANY OTHER SECTION IN THE CITY.

WE HAVE FORTY FEET ON GRAND AVE. BETWEEN EIGHTH AND NINTH, SPLENDIDLY ADAPTED FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSES, AND WILL IMMEDIATELY COMMAND AN EXCELLENT RENTAL; PRICE $300 PER FOOT.

A SPLENDID CORNER ON GRAND AVE. NORTH OF PICO; OVER 250 FOOT FRONTAGE; TWO STREETS, SUNNY SIDE, $12,000 FOR THE LOT.

FIFTY FEET ON GRAND AVE., BETWEEN NINTH AND TENTH, FINE 16-ROOM HOUSE, WELL RENTED, INCOME CAN BE GREATLY INCREASED AT COMPARATIVELY SMALL EXPENSE; PRICE $15,000.

WE HAVE MORE—SEE US.
WE HAVE MORE—SEE US.

WE ARE NOW IN FULL SWING FOR BUSINESS.

PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST CO.,
(INC.)
707-708-709-710-711 GRANT BLDG.,
355 S. BROADWAY. TEL. MAIN 1583.

FOR SALE—
SPRING STREET.
SPRING STREET.
WHERE IS THERE A BARGAIN ON THE CENTRAL STREET?
WE HAVE ONE.
110-FEET FRONTAGE.
FULLY $200 PER FRONT FOOT CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER LOT IN THE SAME BLOCK.
WEST SIDE SPRING STREET, BETWEEN SEVENTH AND EIGHTH STS.
DON'T OVERLOOK THIS. IT WILL BE SOLD BEFORE OUR OPTION EXPIRES.
YOU MAKE $22,000 BEFORE YOU GET A DEED.
IT IS CHEAP.
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS,
12 214 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE—BUSINESS PROPERTIES—
$12,000—Wholesale corner, within two blocks of Westminster Hotel, 66.4x105; owner non-resident and says sell.
$11,000—Fine business corner, 60x145, on S. Main, with store below; flats above; well rented.
$300 per front foot for Los Angeles st. near Fifth. This is certainly a good buy.
$300 per front foot for Los Angeles near Huntington mammoth depot building.
$250 per front foot for corner on Fifth st., renting for over $100 per month.
$48,000 for 48x175, on Main st., with brick block, renting for $225 per month, or 7½ per cent. net on price asked; this is in the business heart of the city and will certainly grow in value as the city grows in population.
The above are only a few from our list of business properties. If you are looking for an investment, please call.
T. W. T. RICHARDS, 430 Douglas Bldg.
Tel. James 1096. 11

FOR SALE—
A SMALL HILL-STREET CORNER.
A SMALL HILL-STREET CORNER.
HAS 150 FEET FRONTAGE
ON HILL STREET TO AN
ALLEY. PRICE $8000. THIS
IS NOT A MISTAKE. WE
CAN DELIVER THE PROPERTY
THIS WEEK ONLY AT $8000.
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
343-5-7 WILCOX BLDG. 11

FOR SALE—
THE BEST BARGAIN
ON BROADWAY.
The improvements now being made on Broadway between First and Second sts., amounting to over $500,000, including the new CHAMBER OF COMMERCE and MAGNIFICENT MASON OPERAHOUSE, the completion of the Belt Line and the regrading of Temple st. is causing a rapid and material advance in property along North Broadway.
We have secured an option on 50 feet, improved, near First st., and can offer same at a price which is sure to make money for the lucky purchaser. The income is $[illegible] per year, and can be increased so as to pay nearly 10 per cent. on the investment. Only $12,000 cash is required; $15,000 can remain on mortgage at 5 per cent. net.
BRADSHAW BROS.,
12 Room 202, Bradbury Bldg.

FOR SALE—
A NO. 1 BUSINESS PROPERTY AT $50 PER FRONT FOOT!
A 25-FOOT FRONTAGE FOR $1250.
A 50-FOOT FRONTAGE FOR $2500.
ONE OF THE BEST INVESTMENTS ON THE MARKET.
Six lots, each 25x127 to an alley, fronting south in the heart of the business section of East Los Angeles. On Downey ave., between Avenue 21 and Daly st.; Pasadena and Downey-ave. car lines cross at the corner of the block. Modern business blocks have just been completed on both sides of this property. Investigate this and you will find that modern business blocks on these lots will pay handsome returns on money invested.
G. W. STIMSON,
Rooms 203-205 Trust Bldg.,
11 Corner Second and Spring.

FOR SALE—
AN INCOME PROPERTY PAYING OVER 16 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.
$3700—A corner near the Santa Fe depot; business and tenement property; improvements consist of a restaurant and a two-story tenement building, now renting for $50 per month, which is over 16 per cent. per annum on the price asked, $3700, which is just six times the annual rental of the property, which is not fully improved; by additional improvements, at a small cost, it can be made to pay a much greater income.
OVER 16 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.
ROSS & SMITH, 225 W. Fourth st.
11

FOR SALE—CHEAPEST PIECE CLOSE-IN "flat" property in city; ready for building; right in center; this is "cinch" for speculation; imposing site for elegant home, fine tenement or flats; $12,000 buys it; worth $15,000. For particulars, see C. W. NICKLIN, room 307, Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway.

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—

66 feet frontage on west side of Hill st. between Third and Fourth. At $850 a foot it's the very cheapest piece in this block. When you take into consideration the improvements planned for this street, paving, widening, the number of new blocks to be erected, property is bound to advance. This particular lot contains nominal improvements, renting for $1100 a year. At the price quoted it's a money-maker and the BARGAIN OF HILL STREET.
ALEX MACKEIGAN & CO.,
TRUST BUILDING.
MINES & FARISH,
BRADBURY BLDG.
13 SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE AGENTS.

FOR SALE—
WE HAVE
A BARGAIN
ON BROADWAY,
NEAR SEVENTH STREET.
—50x165—
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
11 343-5-7 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE—
—HILL STREET—
—HILL STREET—
—HILL STREET—
NEAR 4TH—NEAR 4TH—NEAR 4TH.
BEST BUY IN THE BLOCK.
WE OFFER THIS CHOICE BUSINESS LOT FOR LESS MONEY THAN HAS BEEN PAID RECENTLY FOR A LOT ACROSS THE STREET. REMEMBER, THIS PROPERTY IS ON THE WEST SIDE OF HILL ST. AND IS A BARGAIN.
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
343-5-7 WILCOX BLDG. 11

FOR SALE—
A REAL BARGAIN.
A substantial brick building suitable for warehouse or manufacturing purposes: 6[illegible]x167 feet, situated at Nos. 756, 758 and 760 San Fernando st. Three-stories, running through to Alameda st.
Each floor contains 10,130 sq. ft. space.
An excellent location for heavy business having the advantage of two ground floors, one opening on Alameda, the other on San Fernando st.; convenient to S. P. tracks and depot at Naud Junction.
An up-to-date building, fire-proof walls, first-class roof.
Two floors occupied at present by the Murray Harris Organ Company.
G. W. STIMSON,
Rooms 203-205 Trust Bldg.,
11 Corner Second and Spring sts.

FOR SALE—
—60x107 TO THE ALLEY—
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—60x107 TO THE ALLEY—
AND CLOSE IN ON WEST SEVENTH ST. THERE IS A 5-ROOM COTTAGE ON THE LOT. PRICE $3500. THIS IS A GOOD BUY.
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
SOLE AGENTS.
343-5-7 WILCOX BLDG. 11

FOR SALE—50x165, IMPROVED.
BROADWAY NEAR SEVENTH ST.
OWNER REALLY WANTS TO SELL.
CAN DELIVER AT A BARGAIN.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER,
223 S. HILL ST., Wright & Callender Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—NEW MODERN 45-ROOM house, close in; will pay 18 per cent. net on $25,000; must be sold next week at $22,500 or equity for $14,500.
8-room new house, southwest; lot 50x150; price $4000; will rent for $40 per month.
F. B. COX, room 316,
11 218 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—$6500—$6500—$6500—
A MAIN-STREET CORNER
north of Jefferson.
72x110.
Cheapest corner on Main.
J. C. OLIVER,
11 Room 217, 218 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—2 GILT-EDGED BIG PAYING income "flat" properties; 2 per cent. per month; close in and valuable; both special bargains; one for $10,000; other $7000; a bonanza for the buyer; call and get particulars. C. W. NICKLIN, room 307, Grant Bldg., corner Fourth and Broadway. 11

FOR SALE—STORE AND FLAT BUILDING, new, modern, substantially built, large lot, rents $100 per month. Price $9500. This is a splendid and sound investment.
WERNER & CO.,
11 230 W. Fifth st.

FOR SALE—DO YOU WANT A 20-ACRE home in beautiful La Habra Valley? 45 minutes run on new electric car line; plenty of water. Price from $100 to $125 per acre; easy terms. W. J. HOLE, owner, 349 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—$7000; ONE-STORY BRICK ON E. THIRD ST., PAYING, UNDER LONG LEASE, 8 PER CENT. NET. L. BOWEN, 230½ S. SPRING. 11

FOR SALE—MAIN ST., NEAR 10TH. FOR $380 per front foot, on Main; this property fronts on Broadway also. E. G. ROBINSON, 501 Grant Bldg. 11

FOR SALE—
Suburban Property.

FOR SALE—
GOOD INVESTMENTS
AT INGLEWOOD.
Block of lots 256x200, S.E. cor. of Lucas and Regent sts., modern 6-room house, with large cellar; a 3-room, hard-finished cottage, good barns and outbuildings, 150 ft. of property fenced, and cross-fenced for chicken business. Fruit trees, flowers and lawn, one block from Redondo electric car line, with a 20-minute service to city; property in very choice location. Price $3500; ½ cash, bal. time to suit at 6 per cent.
43 acres of very choice land fronting Redondo electric car line, 1¼ miles from P.O. Price $150 per acre; one-half cash, bal. time to suit at 6 per cent.
G. W. Van Alstyne,
F. A. STANTON,
144 S. Broadway, Sole Agents.

FOR SALE—NOTE THOSE GRAND AND "RAPID NEW CARS" OF THE HOOK ELECTRIC SYSTEM to SAN PEDRO (geared for 60 miles an hour,) it is promised will be running to the ROSECRANS TRACT IN A FEW WEEKS. Secure one of those beautiful FIVE-ACRE SUBURBAN LOTS on "ROSECRANS HEIGHTS," the coming Hollywood—where fine views, soil and BUILDING RESTRICTIONS insure an ideal neighborhood, convenient to CITY and the COAST by means of 2 COMPETING ELECTRIC ROADS soon to traverse the ROSECRANS TRACT. In view of prospects for INCOME OF SPECULATION investigate those other subdivisions of the ROSECRANS TRACT, to sell in 10 acre lots; buy and OWN some of the best Berry, Walnut, Alfalfa and general farming land near the City and on the direct line to the HARBOR. LOW IN PRICE AND SURE TO DOUBLE IN VALUE, as the eyes of the people are on this new and rapidly developing section. ADJOINS famous BERRY and ALFALFA SECTIONS of Gardena and Moneta. FOR MAPS AND PARTICULARS apply to F. B. WILDE, AGENT, No. 524 DOUGLAS BUILDING, or address OWNER, Carl F. Rosecrans, P. O. box 363, CITY.

FOR SALE—ACREAGE; MUST SELL TO settle estate; 32 acres good improved land, part in city limits; good 6-room house, large barn, well and windmill; good orchard; $500 worth of wood on the place; Redondo electric road runs by the door; will sell 5 acres with house; all good or will divide; this is the best bargain in the city. Call at ROOM 436, Douglas Blk., for particulars. 11

FOR SALE—AN UNDIVIDED ONE-HALF INterest in 20 acres, Melrose ave., near Western, only 20 minutes' drive; big bargain; owner of the other half desires to subdivide; just the location for subdivision; Traction line will run right by this land; look this up at once, as it will not be begging at $700 per acre long. VAN DERWERKER & CAKE, 401-2-3 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—3 ACRES, SET DECIDUOUS fruit; good house, barn and reservoir with water; price $850. Address E. H. LITTLE, LaCanada, Cal.

FOR SALE—2½ ACRES NEAR SURVEY FOR electric road; cheap now. WHEELER, 1622 San Fernando st. 15

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

OCEAN PARK.
FOR SALE—AT OCEAN PARK, A SPLENDID FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ON DWIGHT AVE., WEST SIDE, AS PRETTY A COTTAGE AS THERE IS AT THIS POPULAR RESORT.
PIONEER INVESTMENT & TRUST CO.,
(INC.)
707-709-710-711 GRANT BLDG.,
355 S. BROADWAY. TEL. MAIN 1583. 11

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF 9 ROOMS, BATH, water closet, electric lights, telephone, fine view; overlooking the ocean; all improved. D. M. CLARK Ocean Park. 24

FOR SALE—
Hotels, Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—
INTERSTATE REALTY CO.
'PHONE JOHN 856.

$350—11 rooms; rent but $40; newly furnished four months ago; the location is good; will pay to investigate this.

$1500—19 rooms, centrally located; 3-year lease; rent but $50; furniture worth money asked; rooms always filled.

$2500—29 rooms; good furniture; everything first-class; central location; long lease; clearing above expenses $125 month.

$2800—40 rooms; lease; clearing $250 month; this should interest you.

$6500—48 rooms; fine furniture; 3-year lease; biggest bargain in city; clearing $400 month.

INTERSTATE REALTY CO.,
11 726 Trust Bldg., Second and Spring.

FOR SALE—A YOUNG MAN OF EXPERIence and capital, wants party to join him in purchase of city hotel; this is a sure proposition; requires $7500 cash and will return $5000 per annum, figured on the basis of past, which will be shown; present owner wishes to invest in larger enterprise and might take part payment in a residence. HENRY B. SPENCER, 206 Laughlin Bldg. 19

FOR SALE—
30 rooms, with lease, desirable location, netting $140; owner must leave on account of sickness; call immediately; make an offer; must sell this week.
8 rooms, bargain, rent only $22.50.
S. FRANCES CRANDALL,
11 Room 1, 414 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—
Furniture and lease of strictly first-class family hotel, in aristocratic neighborhood; receipts from $1200 to $1500 per month the year round; house always full; price $8000; will take good realty in part payment.
S. K. LINDLEY & CO.,
11 Grant Bldg., rooms 601 and 602.

FOR SALE—$3400; 24 ROOMS, TWO YEARS' lease, centrally located; rooms full all the time; low rent; positively a bargain. STATE OF CALIFORNIA RENTAL AND INVESTMENT AGENCY, 306 W. Seventh st., near Broadway. 13

FOR SALE—50-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE; A business place; takes in from $600 to $800 per month; with good lease; parties leaving for the East; price $6500; can make terms; the best proposition in the city. MRS. HEALD, 325 W. Fourth. 11

FOR SALE—$1200 BUYS A PARTLY FURnished 24-room rooming-house, new furniture and a long lease; this is a good chance for anyone having furniture or wishing to furnish up. ROSS & SMITH, 225 W. Fourth st. 11

FOR SALE—BOARDING-HOUSE; $500; 10 rooms, furnished, full of boarders; clearing $200 per month; rent only $25; parties leaving city; this is a snap. REID & HEBER, 107 S. Broadway. 11

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One orange grove of 20 acres, located 1½ miles from Glendora, 7 acres of oranges, 13 acres of lemons, ½ acre of peaches, 1½ acres of apricots, 2 sets of houses, 3 inches of water; one-half of this land is being mountain land, balance good orange land; price $13,000.
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Miscellaneous.

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room, with stove and all conveniences, in new house; best part of town; University car line. 2244 ESTRELLA AVE. 10

TO LET—LARGE FRONT ROOM, GROUND floor, family of two, no other roomers; sun all day; light housekeeping, gas; $8 month. WILSON, 1404 Reid, Pico Heights.

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TO LET—ELEGANTLY FURNISHED ROOMS with privileges, in handsome new sunny flat, close in, walking distance. 813 SOUTH GRAND. 13

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TO LET — BEAUTIFULLY FURNISHED parlor, bedroom, en suite or single, couple or single gentleman. 613 GLADYS AVE. 11

TO LET—FURNISHED FRONT OR BACK parlor, very choice, $18 or $20, at No. 1 COLONIAL FLATS, Eighth and Broadway. 13

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING room, 123 S. OLIVE. 11

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TO LET—LARGE ROOM, ANNEX AND kitchen, furnished; gas range, sunny cottage; walking distance. 541 W. NINTH. 13

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, MODERN, new, 415 S. Flower; also 1106 S. OLIVE. Some housekeeping; $12; a snap; be quick. 12

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TO LET—2 NEATLY FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms; no children. 1217 TRENTON, one block west of Figueroa. 12

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TO LET—ROOMS NEWLY FURNISHED; ABsolute cleanliness; electricity. 'Phone White 7240. 921 S. OLIVE. 13

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It is a dangerous thing for a parent to try to influence the child too much in favor of following any profession or business, because young people are easily influenced even against their natural bent. We have known of pitiable instances where loving and obedient sons, who did not wish to pain their father, have taken up his business, for which they were totally unfitted, and ruined their whole future.

For example, a carpenter or builder often tells his young son that he hopes he will follow his trade. The boy may not have the slightest bent in that direction; in fact, it may be the last thing on earth that he could do to advantage, and yet the thought of having a chest of tools of his own, and the pleasure which comes from making things, such as toys, may after a while have their influence and make him think perhaps it would be a mighty nice thing to be a carpenter, a builder or perhaps a large contractor. The boy may have literary ability or an artist's instincts or he may be a natural merchant, and yet these early influences in the formative period may be sufficient to settle his whole future in a mistaken career.

The writer's ambition when a boy was to become a barber, for he had to work out in the cold and snow in the winter chopping wood. Whenever he passed a barber shop he always envied the man who could sit in a warm shop all day. He thought it would be a fine thing to handle a razor, to be able to cut hair neatly, to shampoo, etc. The least encouragement would have settled him as a barber, when he didn't have the slightest aptitude for it. Parents and teachers cannot be too careful about trying to influence the boy or girl regarding a career or even suggesting any particular trade or occupation as especially desirable, because the young mind in its plastic state is so easily influenced.

GREAT IN SPITE OF PARENTS.

The boy Arkwright was compelled to become a barber's apprentice because his parents were totally ignorant of his ability in another direction, but nature had locked up in his brain a wonderful device destined to bless humanity and to do the drudgery of millions of England's poor. So he was obliged to say "hands off" even to his parents. Schiller was sent to study surgery in a military school in Stuttgart, but secretly produced his great play, "The Robbers." To him the military school was like a prison. He longed for the life of an author, and he ventured in to the inhospitable world of letters because his bent spoke so loudly in his blood that he could not refuse to follow it. Ole Bull's father tried to smother his boy's genius for music by severe punishment because he happened to want him to become a minister. Dr. Handel would have quenched the aspiration of his son to make a lawyer.

Why do parents continue to wreck the careers of their sons and daughters because of their preconceived ideas of what their children should do? The parent has no right to ask "What do I wish my child to do?" He should ask rather, "What is my child best fitted for?" "What indications has nature given in his mental or physical make-up as to the career he should follow?"

Many of the saddest tragedies in human life have come from parents compelling their children to go contrary to nature's bidding. Thomas Edwards was a born naturalist, and he might have been even greater than Agassiz had not the ignorance and stupidity of both of his parents and teachers crippled and dwarfed his life. Though condemned to a cobbler's bench to make a living he succeeded in collecting and classifying an incredible number of zoological specimens.

MANHOOD THE GREAT THING.

You should choose that work which will call out all your powers and develop your manhood with the greatest strength and symmetry. Not money, not notoriety, not fame even, but power is what you want. Manhood is greater than wealth, grander than fame; character is greater than any career.

The world does not demand that you be a statesman, a doctor, a merchant or a scientist; it does not dictate what you should do, but it does demand that you be a master in whatever you undertake. If you are a master in your line the world will applaud and all doors will fly open to you, but it condemns all abortion, botches and failures.

Before you enter into any particular calling ask yourself these questions: Has nature qualified me especially for such a career? Can I persevere to the end in spite of hard work, discouragement and difficulties in preparing myself to fulfill adequately the duties of this position? Have you a faculty for buying and selling, or do you incline to the tranquil life of the country? Are you happy on the farm? Do you delight in experimenting, by mixing brains with the soil, studying the chemistry of mother earth? Do you like to examine mechanics' tools and to draw? Do you like to solve problems in arithmetic or to memorize famous poems and speeches? Do you like to impart to others what you have learned by reading and studying, and are you successful in doing so?

These are only a few of the hundreds of questions you may ask yourself in trying to determine what nature intended you for.

CHOOSE ENNOBLING CAREER.

If you have practically decided upon your vocation, study the character of the people you know in it. Does the occupation elevate those who follow it? Does it broaden them? Is it a vocation in which you are likely to grow, which will make you a larger and truer man, or does it tend to dwarf and cramp and demoralize the people connected with it? Do not think you will be the great exception to the rule and that you can enter a questionable vocation without becoming a victim to it. In spite of all your determination it will seize you as in a vise and will stamp its indelible impression upon you.

Positively refuse to go into an occupation which will dwarf your manhood, cramp your intellect or blunt your finer sensibilities. One of the saddest things in the world is to see a young man, strong, healthy, vigorous and well educated, prostituting in a questionable vocation the great powers and forces which God has given him. "True dignity, pleasure and peace," says a writer, "are utterly impossible to him who voluntarily abuses himself and others by doing work that tends to poison human enjoyment and to destroy the welfare and usefulness of his fellow men. Whatever is harmful and corrupting is to be shunned as a deadly plague."

Whatever you undertake in life, it is certain you will never do your best, will never be able to use your strength until you find your right place. Like a locomotive, you will be strong on the track, but weak everywhere else. "Like a boat on the river," says Emerson, "every boy runs against obstructions on every side but one, and on that side every obstacle is taken away and he sweeps serenely over an infinite channel into a deep sea."

KNOW YOURSELF PHYSICALLY.

It is of the greatest importance that you should be fitted for your vocation physically. Success and the highest efficiency in any vocation depend on a sound mind and a healthy body. It is of the utmost importance that you study your physical make-up and tendencies as well as your mental qualities and inclinations. A boy, for example, may be well qualified mentally and by natural inclination for the medical profession, but may be unfit for it by lack of endurance or some other physical defect. The physician should be strong and robust, for the strain of irregular hours and night work, especially in the country, would wreck a delicate constitution in a short time.

A girl might be especially adapted both mentally and by training for the office of teacher, and yet because of a nervous, excitable temperament be debarred from a position in which patience and self-control are absolutely essential.

People with delicate lungs should not go into callings in which they are compelled to inhale dust of iron or steel. They should not work under conditions which irritate the lungs. A man who is extremely nervous or irritable should not engage in an occupation which will tend to aggravate that weakness. It would be a sin to put himself in a position where the rasping and tearing-down process would be likely to wreck his nervous system. Harmony increases life force, but discord impairs it. A discordant condition tends not only to shorten life, but to impair efficiency. Whatever you do be sure to get into harmony with your work and keep out of discordant environments. If you have defective sight you should be careful about entering occupations such as engraving, book-keeping, proof-reading, dressmaking or any other work that requires close or constant use of the eyes. Many young people who would be well and happy on a farm or in some active position have ruined health and happiness behind a counter in the city or in some sedentary position against which nature has entered her everlasting protest.

Thousands of people have been obliged to drag weak and feeble bodies through life, in constant suffering or misery, because they engaged in occupations which aggravated their natural physical weaknesses or defects which might have been entirely remedied had they chosen vocations for which they were by nature fitted.

ORISON SWETT MARDEN.

What young women term "bones" is the topic of a most practical lesson in health and beauty culture to appear in the Times tomorrow. The writer is W. R. C. Latson, M.D., editor of "Health Culture" Magazine, New York.

PROMINENT MASON'S DEATH.

W. H. H. Thomas Succumbed After Long Illness—Taken to Old Missouri Home for Interment.

After years of struggling against disease, W. H. H. Thomas, succumbed to death's call last Sunday. Today the remains will be taken by Mrs. Thomas and the eldest son to the old home in Hillsboro, Mo., where they will be laid to rest in the family burial ground.

Mr. Thomas leaves a widow and five children, four of whom reside in Los Angeles, and a married daughter residing at Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Mr. Thomas for many years practiced law in Missouri, and was active in politics in that State. His eldest brother is Hon. John L. Thomas, ex-judge of the Supreme Court of Missouri, and ex-Assistant Attorney-General for the Postoffice Department at Washington under the Cleveland administration. Mr. Thomas was the uncle of Mrs. Virdie Bland, wife of Richard P. Bland, a Congressman for twenty years.

Mr. Thomas served through the Civil War in the Confederate army, and was severely wounded at Helena, Ark. Later he was captured and taken to Philadelphia. He was mustered out at the close of the war as adjutant in Gen. Price's brigade.

For many years the deceased was a Mason, belonging to Knights Templar Commandery, No. 56, of De Soto, Mo. The funeral services at his old home will be conducted by the Masonic Lodge that he joined thirty-five years ago. Mr. Thomas was 63 years of age.

He retired from the active practice of law in 1892, and since that time had traveled in various States, in search of health, finally locating in Los Angeles. Here he led a very quiet life until within the last few months he began to make numerous investments in real estate. Recently Mr. Thomas had purchased properties in the territory west of the Third-street tunnel, and had plans prepared for extensive improvements there.

CONSUMPTIVE ACTORS' HOME.

DENVER, Feb. 10.—Robert E. Bell, promoter of the sanitarium for consumptive actors, leaves Denver for the East Saturday, to arrange with managers of theaters and companies for the benefit performances which are to be given to raise funds to build and maintain the institution. Bell expects these performances to net $150,000. He will visit New York, Chicago, St. Louis, Kansas City and Omaha.

THE CITY IN BRIEF.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Banquet Tickets.

Secretary Wiggins of the Chamber of Commerce is doing a good box office business for the chamber's big banquet this month, having already sold 125 tickets to the show.

New Glee Club.

Several members of the Young Men's Society of St. Vibiana's Cathedral parish have formed a glee club, under the direction of T. E. Scott, and plan to give a number of public concerts.

Unimproved Acreage.

Charles E. Anthony buys of Mrs. L. S. Maddock, through John D. Foster and Company, 11 acres, unimproved, on the north side of Pico street, just west of the Country Club grounds; consideration named, $12,000.

C.B.A. Smoker.

The Los Angeles Catholic Benefit Association held a smoker last night at their hall, No. 119½ South Spring street. A musical and literary programme was rendered, and several of the city clergy were present.

San Juan Excursion.

Eschscholtzia Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will have an excursion to San Juan Capistrano Saturday, February 21. The excursionists will go down in the morning, spend the day at the old mission, and enjoy a basket dinner.

Frame Flats.

Architects Garrett & Bixby have prepared for A. W. Swanfeldt, plans for three frame apartment buildings, on the northeast corner of Seventh street and Gladys avenue, at a cost of $26,000. The excavation for the foundation will be begun today.

Store Burglarized.

The second-hand store of R. R. Hutchison, No. 234 South Main street, was broken into night before last, the burglar prying off a heavy wire netting from a front window with a jimmy and breaking the glass. Goods were taken to the value of $100, including overcoats, valises, shoes, underwear and cheap rings.

Watch and Cash.

While the family of Robert E. Bryan, No. 1717 Banning street, was away from home yesterday morning, a burglar entered one of their rooms and stole a razor and a pocketbook containing $1.35. J. W. McClara, who lives at 213 South Main street, was visited by a sneak thief yesterday morning, and was robbed of a gold filled watch.

Two Small Blazes.

Some one upset a lamp in a room occupied by the Blue Print Company in the Wilcox building at First and Spring streets yesterday morning, but the blaze was so quickly extinguished that the loss could not be reckoned except in cents. At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon a gasoline stove exploded in the house occupied by Thomas Haskell at No. 828 Wall street. The loss on the contents was $30.

Standing Room Only.

Don't be surprised if you see the sign "Standing Room Only," hung out in front of down-town hotels some of these February days. Forty tourists were turned away from one of the leading hostelries yesterday, for lack of accommodations, and the corner of the lobby was piled with their wraps and hand luggage a good part of the day, while they went out on a still hunt for quarters. The season is "on" at top pressure.

Burglar Stole Jewelry.

Celestine Belli reported to the police yesterday that her room in the lodging-house at No. 400½ North Main street had been entered some time during the preceding afternoon. The burglar got a harvest of things valuable and dear to the feminine heart. When Miss Belli returned she found that most of her jewelry, including a gold watch and chain, a silver watch and four rings, one of them set with diamonds and another with pearls, had been stolen.

Requiem Mass.

A solemn mass of requiem will be celebrated in the Church of St. Vincent de Paul, at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning; for the repose of the soul of the late Father Meyer, who was for many years connected with St. Vincent's College, and who died while holding the position of president of the college. At 7:30, La Mariposa Club will have a low mass said for Father Meyer at the Cathedral of St. Vibiana, this being the anniversary of his death.

A Sad Errand.

Very Rev. J. S. Glass, president of St. Vincent's College, was called East last week to accompany the remains of the late Father Kendrick, C.M., to St. Louis for interment. This aged priest, who but recently visited the Vincentian Fathers here, met death by falling from his train. Father Glass is expected back from St. Louis this week, and upon his return plans for the improvements at St. Vincent's College, will be approved, and work will soon begin.

Reward for Cox.

William Sowards, the oldest son of James M. Sowards, the money lender who was murdered on the afternoon of January 30, by Martin E. Cox, yesterday, authorized Chief Elton to offer a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of the fugitive murderer. Yesterday afternoon, the body of the murdered man was taken to Greenup, Ky., for interment. As it is a practical certainty that the local police department will have no hand in the capture of Cox, the reward will have but little effect, except in other cities, to which he may have fled.

Orchestra Concert.

On the occasion of the fifth complimentary concert by the First Methodist Sunday-school Orchestra, last night, the large auditorium and gallery of the church were filled. This orchestra, under the leadership of Earl B. Valentine, has made rapid progress since its last appearance, and the audience gave every evidence of appreciation last night. Solo selections were rendered by Mr. Valentine on the violin, Emil Erickson on the cornet and Walter L. Ross on the saxaphone, and all were encored. Two recitations were given by Maurice Walton, in a semi-humorous vein, which were well received. Dr. McIntyre, who was to have made an address on "Music in Relation to the Church," was unable to be present on account of illness. The orchestra will give a concert at Long Beach on Friday evening.

BREVITIES.

Mrs. Charlton Edholm, the rescue worker, will give an address at the prayer meeting in the First Presbyterian Church this evening.

Occidental College second semester begins today at 10 o'clock. Rev. Hugh K. Walker, D.D., will give an address. All friends invited.

Texas Association will have grand rally tonight in Blanchard's Hall at 8 p.m. All resident and visiting Texans are invited.

Fine Cabinet photos reduced to $1, $1.75 per dozen. Sunbeam, 236 S. Main.

Booth & Boylson, undertakers, removed to 827 S. Spring st.

Special sale, today only, $25 silk crêpe kimonas for $15. Morse & Co., 310 S. Broadway.

German at Kramer's next Wednesday, 11th.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Postal Telegraph-Cable Company, No. 238 South Spring street, for Mrs. S. Turetti, Mrs. Lizzie Schaad, E. R. Thornton, R. J. Wilson, Lawson Bigley and A. W. Jarrett.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mr. Tsujimoto, Edward Payne, Helen Clydesdale, R. H. Leaman, D. E. Juvinall, Hale Nosler, F. B. Chesebrough, W. A. Cheesbrow, S. F. Hale, George W. Rudell, Charles E. Fisher, Harvey E. Willey, Harry P. Bonhardt, Andrea Mattarocci, Zaragsa Mining Co., George B. Peters, Sabas Lopez, Mrs. E. Dadley.

DEATH FOR HATCHIKIAN.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Feb. 10—Agap Hatchikian, the drug clerk who, in January, shot the Armenian patriarch, Ormanian, while the latter was celebratting mass in the Kumkapu cathedral on the occasion of the Armenian Christmas, was sentenced to death yesterday, after a trial behind closed doors. A similar sentence was passed on his friend, Baghos Kraprelian, supposed to be the instigator of the assassination, who, however, has escaped from the country. Two other men were sentenced to life imprisonment at penal servitude.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

David O. Travis, aged 43, native of Kentucky, and Etta Bell Conner, aged 36, native of Wisconsin; residents of Los Angeles.

Henry A. Jock, aged 30, native of Massachusetts, and Jennie E. Baker, aged 23, native of Missouri; residents of Los Angeles.

Perry E. Clinkinbeard, aged 38, native of Oregon, and Ethel F. Stevens, aged 30, native of Tennessee; residents of Los Angeles.

George W. Rockefeller, aged 24, native of Australia, resident of San Bernardino, and Kate I. Utterback, aged 26, native of California, resident of Santa Ana.

Henry T. Scott, aged 26, native of Maryland, and Ora R. Buck, aged 21, native of Kansas; residents of Los Angeles.

Worth W. Dodge, aged 25, native of Iowa, and Anna G. LaVelle, aged 22, native of Pennsylvania; residents of Pasadena.

Luther M. Holt, aged 62, native of Michigan, and Mary B. Proud, aged 42, native of Indiana; residents of Los Angeles.

Joseph Rendler, aged 20, native of Nebraska, and Flora G. Haskins, aged 17, native of Texas; residents of Los Angeles.

William Peck aged 27, resident of San Pedro, and Eliza A. Osborne, aged 20, resident of Alhambra; natives of California.

Clement L. Mason, aged 40, native of Indiana, resident of Los Angeles, and Susan G. Stevens, aged 26, native of Kansas, resident of Redlands.

Walter D. Spooner, aged 28, native of Rhode Island, and Lura Phene Sanford, aged 40, native of Missouri, residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

CRANE—At No. 757 Alvarado street, February 10, 1903, Guy Sherman Crane, late of Detroit, Mich., aged 31 years. Funeral notice later.

SEXTON—At No. 2620 Downey avenue, February 10, 1903, William H. Sexton, a native of Arkansas, aged 72 years. Funeral from John R. Paul's parlors, Wednesday afternoon, 2 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Interment Santa Ana Cemetery.

CANNON—At San Diego, Cal., Monday morning, Le Grande W. Cannon of Helena, Mont. Funeral notice later.

GUIRADO—At his late residence, No. 1142 West Adams street, Los Angeles, February 9, 1903, Bernardino Guirado, a native of Los Angeles, aged 57 years and 2 months, beloved husband of Luz Sanchez de Guirado, father of Edward R. and Margarita Guirado. Funeral service 10 a.m., Wednesday, February 11, 1903, at St. Vincent's Church. Interment at Catholic Cemetery. Friends invited.

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SITE OF THE POLYTECHNIC.

Will it Be a Graveyard or an Amusement Park?

Bonds for Big New High School Soon Will Be Sold.

Southwestern Part of the City May Be Chosen Location—No Stiff Prices.

Interest in the location of the new Polytechnic High School is aroused by the prospective early sale of the $200,000 bonds that were voted last November for the purpose of making this addition to the public school system of Los Angeles.

City Attorney Mathews is preparing the ordinance that will place the bonds on the market, and it probably will be submitted to the Council at next Monday's meeting. The sale of the bonds, it is expected, will be made in April. With the money in hand and the people's desire expressed, it is not likely that there will be any delay in carrying out the project.

Selection of a site for the building already has had informal attention of school officials and members of the Board of Education, but the matter has not yet reached even a preliminary stage looking toward the acquirement of suitable property. In fact, there is some question as to whether the Council will purchase the land or leave that to the Board of Education. It also is not settled as to what funds shall be used for the acquirement of a site—whether it shall be paid for from the proceeds of the bond sale or from the general school fund.

No plans for the building have yet been considered. They cannot be until it is known just how much can be expended for that purpose. If the site is to be paid for from the $200,000 raised on the bonds there necessarily will be a much smaller amount for the building.

WHERE WILL IT STAND?

However these matters may be arranged, the question of location of the school is the one that has first place in the minds of the people.

They want to know whether it is to be placed in a cemetery or in an amusement park; in the business or in the residence section; up on a hill or down in a hollow.

It isn't a question of how or what, but where.

City School Superintendent Foshay has his eye on Fiesta Park, corner Grand avenue and Twelfth street.

Assistant Superintendent Tritt also favors that location or one near by, at the corner of Eleventh and Flower streets.

Some members of the Board of Education favor one of these sites, and the general opinion is that the school should be placed in the eastern, central or western section of the city, south of Tenth street.

The great objection so far found to the two sites named is their great cost. The purchase price of either if it were to be paid from the $200,000 fund, would leave too small an amount, it is thought, to build and equip the manual training school on proper lines, and there is no likelihood that money enough could be obtained from any other fund for the purpose.

FIESTA PARK FAVORED.

"The Polytechnic High School naturally will go south," said Prof. Foshay, "and Fiesta Park is an ideal location because of its size and accessibility. The whole city would be served better at that point than at any other place in Los Angeles. The great cost of the property would be the chief objection, I presume, and it may be that it cannot be considered at all."

"It has been suggested," said Assistant School Superintendent Tritt, "that a large building be placed on the grounds of the Spring-street school, between Fifth and Sixth, and that part of this structure be used for the Polytechnic High School, leaving the remainder for business purposes and for headquarters for the Board of Education. It is said, though, that the land is too valuable for this use, and that it would be better to sell the entire property and go farther out. It would be impracticable to place the school in the Seventh or Eighth Ward, as some desire, and it seems to me that the building should be placed in the southwestern part of the city. Fiesta Park or the lot on Eleventh street, between Flower and Figueroa, would be an excellent location. The high price of land at those points is a serious problem, however. It might be that the polytechnic could be placed on the present site of the Seventeenth-street school, at the corner of Seventeenth and Georgia streets, moving the grammar school to lots owned by the city on Eighteenth street."

SIXTH WARD ADVOCATES.

"There are some reasons," said Roger Page, member of the Board of Education from the First Ward, "why the school should be located in the Sixth Ward, somewhere east of Main street. That section is thickly settled with workingmen, just the persons whose children would benefit mostly from manual training. The southwestern part of the city probably is the place for the school, however."

W. T. Goodhue of the Board of Education naturally favors the Sixth Ward, as that is his home. "My ward has a good claim for the location of the school," said he. "We have the ground, which remains in unbroken tracts large enough for all persons and which can be obtained cheaper than in any other accessible portion of the city. It might be that some of my public-spirited constituents would donate a site. We have the constituency for whom the school is designed, the working people, and there seems to be no good reason why we should not have the institution. Land will cost too much elsewhere to entitle any other part of the city to consideration, although the southwest seems to be the direction to which most persons turn. It might be that the Polytechnic School could be placed on the site of the grammar school at the corner of Eighth street and Grand avenue. That is an excellent location, but the lot probably is too small, and the present school too badly needed to permit of its abandonment."

NO MORE "HOLD-UPS."

Whatever site may be chosen for the school there will be no opportunity for property owners or real estate agents to "hold up" the city on the price. Too often in the past, as soon as it was learned that the city desired to purchase certain property, owners and agents have raised their prices to an almost prohibitive figure, just because they thought they could get it. Under arrangements that are being perfected there will be no repetition of these methods. When a school site is determined on condemnation proceedings will be instituted, and if the property cannot then be purchased in the market at a reasonable price it will be condemned and a fair value be determined.

HALF A MILLION, MR. HUNTINGTON SAYS.

WILL BE SPENT ON THAT BIG SAN PEDRO MOLE.

Franchise for Wharf and Mole One Thousand Feet Wide Granted by Supervisors—Work on it Will Begin at Once, is Mr. Huntington's Assurance.

San Pedro is also to feel the progressive touch of some of the Huntington millions. Yesterday the Board of Supervisors granted to Henry E. Huntington and his associates a fifty-year franchise for wharfage and terminal purposes along the westerly side of San Pedro Harbor, from the southerly boundary line of the town of San Pedro, to the five-fathom curve of the outer harbor. Under the terms of this franchise, which is to become effective March 2, 1903 the rights therein are granted to Mr. Huntington as trustee for a company that is to be formed and known as the San Pedro Railroad Terminal and Wharf Company. It grants the right to build a wharf and mole 1000 feet wide along the harbor shore, the outer edge to be of piling, and the inner side to be solid, of such material as may be deemed desirable.

The franchise was not offered for sale to the highest bidder, but was granted upon application. The law makes such provision where the proposed wharfage is for terminal purposes. Consequently the county gets no money for the franchise that was awarded yesterday, and the Huntington interests acquire valuable concessions for nothing.

San Pedro may well rejoice over the plans that Mr. Huntington has in contemplation for the harbor town.

Asked to speak about the matter last night, Mr. Huntington was very affable, and said: "I wasn't aware that the franchise had been granted, but we propose to organize a company to utilize the rights conferred immediately. The wharfing facilities that we shall build and operate will be for the exclusive use of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, or for any other concern that shall pay us toll. This move for a terminal wharf had its inception but a very short time ago, and grew out of the needs arising from the proposed extension of the Pacific Electric Railway Company's line from Long Beach to San Pedro. We are now working on a right of way for a road between the two towns, and this new wharf will land us right on the water front. Understand me, the wharf will be for the use of all comers; this the law specifically calls for in granting a franchise for terminal purposes without consideration.

"It is hard for me to say definitely how much money we shall spend on this project, for I have not yet called for estimates, but the amount will run into money very fast."

The reporter wanted to know how fast.

"Oh, the hundreds of thousands," was the unconcerned reply.

"Five hundred thousand?"

"At least that, I should guess, but I don't want to state, because I might be very wide of the mark."

"Twon't be a million?"

"Oh, I don't know, but it will cost considerable money."

Mr. Huntington was then asked what were the prospects for beginning work on the project.

"We shall begin work at once," was the prompt reply. "How soon? Well, immediately."

"Thirty days?" insisted the reporter.

"Well, I should think so, if all our plans go smoothly. No time shall be lost, and now that the franchise has been granted, we shall go right ahead. The project will mean a very substantial improvement for San Pedro, and it is our purpose to push the work to an immediate conclusion."

PAUL COWLES IMPRESSED.

Pacific Coast Manager for the Associated Press Remarks the Recent Progress of Los Angeles.

Paul C. Cowles, Pacific Coast manager of the Associated Press news service, with headquarters at San Francisco, is spending a few days in and about Los Angeles, the occasion of his visit being an inspection tour of Southern California. This is Mr. Cowles's first trip to Los Angeles in six years. He is accompanied by James R. Pringle, a young attorney of San Francisco. The two will go to San Diego today, return here Thursday and visit Mt. Lowe and Catalina in company with E. D. Moore, the local Associated Press agent, and return to the north early next week.

"Los Angeles," said Mr. Cowles, "has made big strides forward since last I visited here. I am impressed by the air of cosmopolitanism that pervades your streets and is displayed by your people. It means something, you know, when a man has to look sharp to get his legs safely over a street crossing.

"Los Angeles has quickly attained, and will easily maintain, the position of news center for all this southwestern part of the country. Perhaps the remark is more easily significant to a newspaper man than to one outside the business, but the fact itself is a criterion of business growth and general progress. The Associated Press service in San Francisco—the chief distributing point for all of the territory west of Denver and southward from Vancouver, B. C., to San Diego—looks to Los Angeles for the news of Southern California and Arizona; and of this news your city itself supplies a heavy percentage."

STEAMER MADIANA WRECKED.

HAMILTON, (Bermuda) Feb. 10.—The Quebec Steamship Company's steamer Madiana, Capt. Fraser, which sailed from New York on Saturday last for a special cruise among the Caribbean Islands, with a party of excursionists, has gone ashore on the reefs off this island and is likely to prove a total loss. The passengers and crew were landed.

FINLANDERS NOT YIELDING.

ST. PETERSON, Feb. 10.—The opposition of the Finlanders to the new military law does not abate. Meetings are frequently held in towns and villages, at which the young men pledge themselves to ignore the Russian conscript, in spite of the punishment recently meted out to delinquents, by the Czar's decree.

WEAR PURPLE AND DIAMONDS.

"Boxing Men" Making Most Money Nowadays.

Astonishing Receipts of Fights in Los Angeles.

Black Champion One of the Flushest Spenders on the Gay Rialto.

The moderately-successful professional man stood on the curb at Second and Spring and propped his chin with finger and thumb, elbow resting in palm. There were wrinkles in his trousers and his brow. With back to the busy street and eyes focused, he gazed steadfastly at a figure that slowly approached—the towering figure of a man clad in a waistcoat of green. The clothes that garmented the strolling colossus spoke emphatically. In place of wrinkles in his trousers there were orderly creases, fresh from the tailor's iron. An inch from the boots these creases stopped, allowing tht stylish pantaloons to break smartly and set trimly on the kid-covered instep. The boots gleamed—not with the vulgar shine of blacking, but with the lustrous gloss of $7 patent leather, polished to the point of refraction. Stetson's latest block adorned the towering one's head, and against the ebon darkness of the figure's Abyssinian neck shone the whiteness of newly-laundered linen. The high, modish collar found fashionable complement in a scarf of ermine silk, knotted with perfect neatness and adorned by a diamond pin. From the magnificent shoulders fell in faultless lines a double-breasted sack, unbuttoned to show the vest of olive green. Afternoon gloves of pearl-gray suede were carried nonchalantly by a hand that bore, upon one of its chocolate-hued fingers, a flashing gem of rather more karats than one. The other hand swung languorously a cane of nobby choice.

JACK JOHNSON, IN HIS LATEST AND GLADDEST RAGS.
[Photo by Marceau.]

The moderately-successful professional looked down at the wrinkles in his trousers, where that garment violated symmetry at the knees; then felt the wrinkles in his brow. As with idle fingers he caressed his chin, he became aware that he needed a shave. It pained him to observe that his boots had not been polished. A ragged-edged button on his crumpled cutaway coat caught his reflective eye. There was no gemmed pin in his cravat.

The towering negro strolled majestically out of sight. The professional man sighed. "Now I wonder," he murmured aloud, "who is that dead-swell coon?"

"You do, eh?" chimed in a bystander. "Well, I'll tell you: That's Jack Johnson, the heavy-weight prize fighter that licked Denver Ed Martin at Hazard's Pavilion last week. Don't he cut a dash! Swellest coon on the Coast—when he's outside the ring, spending the money he's won."

"Why," protested the professional man, "that doesn't look like the stripped nigger I saw at Hazard's last Thursday night! This fellow is dressed like an African millionaire!"

"How much did you pay to see the fight?" cautiously inquired the bystander.

"Three dollars," replied the professional man.

"So did I. That makes six plunks." A silence fell between them. "Say!" spoke up the bystander, in slow, insinuating voice: "Your three dollars and my three dollars paid for that sea-green vest."

The professional man looked down at the wrinkles in his trousers, and the wrinkles deepened in his brow.

"Huh!" was all he said.

The crowd that packed Hazard's Pavilion last Thursday night to witness the Johnson-Martin fight paid $4200 cash for that alluring privilege. Half of this sum went to the Century Club. The other half was divided between Johnson and Martin, the former taking $1260 (60 per cent.) and the latter getting $840 (40 per cent.)

"What have you done with your $1260?" a newspaper man asked Jack Johnson.

The "dead-swell coon" was quite frank. "Well," said he, "I've got about $200 of it left. I was 'mortgaged' for about $500 by the time the fight came off—training expenses, mostly. Then, I always like the very finest clothes, and I generally wear them. So I bought some new togs. And I put a few hundred in dimunds and gave 'em to my wife. I like dimunds and so does she. Then if you're in my profession (!) you've always got to have your hand in your pocket when you meet the crowd in the bar—and all that sort of thing counts 'way up, you know. A hundred a week won't near last a first-class boxing man." (N.B.: You must say "boxing men," not "prize fighters," when you are conversing with gentlemen of the ring. It's etiquette.)

Johnson went on: "There ain't much money in my profession nowadays unless you get to take on a big purse, like $10,000 or so. I've been in California a year now, and I've fought on the average of once every two months, and I haven't been licked yet. But I've only made about $6000 in that year, and I've only got a couple hundred cash to my name. I'm going to try mighty hard to cut a clean thousand out of my next fight, with McVey—and if I do, you bet I'll soak it away! I'm going to bet $500 on myself, for one thing. Then I want to go home to my folks in Galveston and rest up a month, and then get a go with Jeffries. I think I have the right to meet him next, and it can't be too soon to suit me. Yes, I've heard the reports about Jeff going the pace back East, and I shouldn't wonder if it's true. Men in my profession certainly do like to live high—everything the very best—when they're not training."

More first-class prize-ring events are pulled off in Los Angeles than in any other city of like size in the United States, or, perhaps, in the world. The average in the City of Angels is one fight every three weeks, and it is seldom that a big crowd fails to be on hand. The tickets of admittance range in price $1, $2 and $3, and the average receipts for one fight are $3200. In addition an average of $7500 is bet on every one of these fights. Between $12,000 and $15,000 changed hands on the last one.

"What do the fighters do with their money?" repeated Harry Stuart—"Square Harry"—the veteran local referee. "Well, they generally get the handling of only one-half of their share of the gate receipts, the other half going to pay their personal expenses in the preparation for the mill. Easy money goes easy, you know, and $100 a week is only a usual amount for a first-class pugilist to spend after an event. Saloons, restaurants and cigar stands get a good slice of this, and the jewelry stores and haberdasheries and clothiers come in for a fat-sized bunch of the balance. They all like jewelry. The first-class 'pug' who doesn't sport two or three or four 'sparklers' is pretty sure to be passing through a streak of hard luck."

The moderately-successful professional man wasn't around to overhear this conversation. If he had been, it's a safe bet that he would have looked down at the wrinkles in his trousers, felt his unshaved chin, and feelingly muttered "Huh!"

WANTED—A RECTOR.

Advertisement for a Clergyman Brings Many Replies—Many Ministers Anxious to Succeed Rev. B. W. R. Tayler.

Rev. B. W. R. Tayler, the retiring rector of St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church, is a believer in printers' ink as a medium of making known the wants of a parish, as well as of an individual, firm or corporation. Mr. Tayler, having been requested by the vestry of St. John's to assist in finding a capable successor to himself, had inserted in The Churchman, the following advertisement, which has been copied and commented upon by the Chicago Tribune:

THE RECTORSHIP OF ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, Los Angeles, Cal., will be vacant at Easter. The vestry has requested the retiring rector to place before it the names of three clergymen of the church in whom they can with loyalty carry out the sound and churchly traditions of the parish in its work and worship. The retiring rector will be glad to receive nominations and testimonials. No replies guaranteed, so do not send postage stamps for reply.

As the result of this publicity, many applications for the position have been received, but Mr. Tayler has not yet made his recommendations to the vestry. It appears that there are numerous clergymen throughout the country who are anxious to get nearer heaven by giving up their present rectorships for one in Los Angeles.

"CARRY" WAS INDIGNANT.

Advertising Scheme Worked by the Carrie Nation Management—Arrested for Violation of City Ordinance.

The Carrie Nation management struck its pace yesterday afternoon when it worked the free advertising scheme to a finish. They rigged up a carriage with banners announcing the appearance of the great and only Carrie, put the most pompous-looking hackman in town on the box, and by his side a bugler to herald the coming of the smasher. Inside the closed carriage rode Mrs. Nation and Manager Price. They were doing the town like a licensed circus when they ran afoul of Officer Neighbors on his beat, and he took them in for violation of the city advertising ordinance, which prohibits attracting attention to any advertisement by means of a horn or other boisterous means.

By the time the case reached the Police Court, after Carrie had enjoyed an interview with Capt. Bradish and Chief Elton, the news had been noised about that the noted smasher had been arrested and a crowd soon packed the court. Among the number were a dozen or more well-dressed ladies and a few gentlemen, who seemed to think it was a great indignity which was being heaped upon the city's guest, but all the rest of the crowd was simply moved by curiosity to see how Mrs. Nation would take the matter.

Price, who was in charge of the party; Broeck, who was blowing the horn, and Bryan, the driver of the carriage, were each fined $2 by Justice Austin, and the fines were paid by Price. Mrs. Nation looked on as an interested spectator, but showed no concern, evidently understanding the game.

The only real pompous individual in the party was Bryan, the driver of the "hosses." He looked as if he would burst in his wounded dignity.

RAILROAD NOTES.

Now the Southern Pacific has gone the Santa Fé one better again on colonist rates. It has been announced heretofore that cheap rates from the East would prevail over the Southern Pacific, beginning February 15 and running to April 30 inclusive, at the expiration of which time similar rates were to be offered by the Santa Fé for two months. The announcement was made yesterday at local Southern Pacific headquarters that the time of selling tickets at colonist rates would be extended to June 30. Thus will the Santa Fé have competition, after all. California will have the benefit of these cheap rates now for over four months, during which time many thousand people will come to this Coast to settle.

"I never knew of a longer period of excursion rates in my life," said an old-time Southern Pacific Railroad official yesterday.

N. R. Martin, ticket agent of the Southern Pacific, is on the sick list for a few days. C. H. White, chief clerk of the passenger department, is holding down Mr. Martin's desk.

A smoker and Dutch lunch is announced by the Entertainment Committee of the local division of the Pacific Coast Association of Traffic Agents as the drawing card of its regular monthly meeting next Saturday evening at the Del Monte café.

POOR JUNIOR ROCKEFELLER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., is supposed to be about the richest young man in America, and who was assessed at $500,000, called at the tax office and stated that he had $400,000 in debts, and that his personal property above his debts was worth only $20,000, but he was willing to pay taxes on an assessment of $50,000. The commissioners accepted Mr. Rockefeller's figures.

PRESSURE ON THE WIGMORES.

Lively Meeting of Creditors of Hardware Firm.

Taking Measures to Prevent Loss From Failure.

Claimants Hauled Goods Away—Trouble is Attributed to General Decay.

Financial distress has come to the wholesale hardware, machinery and mining-supply house of John Wigmore & Sons Company, with headquarters at Nos. 236-240 South Los Angeles street, and a branch in San Francisco.

The exact extent of their embarrassment is not known, even to members of the company, but it is supposed to be about $100,000. Secretary George H. Wigmore said last night that he was not in a position to make a statement of the condition of affairs, but that one is in course of preparation for the information of creditors, in whose hands it will be placed before the end of the week.

"We shall state our position accurately to all our creditors," said Mr. Wigmore, "and then we shall be at their disposal. We expect to continue business, and shall do so unless some one wishes to stop us. It is hoped, however, that no one will take precipitate action, as it will do no good at this time. We have nothing to hide, but the less said at present the better."

While the news of the Wigmore failure was received with surprise in some quarters, there are many who say they have expected it for some time. They say the trouble has been coming on for many months, and that it is due to "dry rot." The business has been permitted to run itself, it is said, and required bolstering up a year ago. It was the general understanding at that time that the liabilites of the company were $60,000, and its net surplus $150,000.

Creditors of the company held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the rooms of the Wholesalers' Board of Trade in the Bullard Block, and after a lively session that lasted an hour and a half, without bearing fruit, an adjournment was taken until 10 o'clock this morning. Action then probably will be taken by the creditors to protect their claims against the company.

This gathering was in response to a private letter that had been received by each creditor, containing the information that the Wigmore Company's financial burden was heavier than could be borne, and asking the coöperation of the creditors in helping with the continuance of the business.

Three alternatives were suggested—that the company go into voluntary bankruptcy, that involuntary bankruptcy proceedings be brought, or that the company be permitted to make a settlement. The latter course, it is said, is the one preferred by the company, which agreed to make a statement of its condition as soon as the data could be compiled.

To an invitation to attend the meeting yesterday afternoon, it is said that George H. Wigmore replied that he was indisposed, although he was in his office at the time. His friends say that this was due to the fact that Mr. Wigmore is on the verge of nervous prostration, and that he could not withstand the excitement incident to the inquiry at that time.

Among the creditors who attended the meeting were many manufacturers and wholesale dealers in iron, piping and other material. It is said there are many other creditors in the East and in San Francisco, and that one of the principal claimants is the American Wire Works Company.

Some creditors, it is said, took summary action yesterday afternoon, sending wagons to the Wigmore establishment and carting away much material that had been delivered. Several truckloads were removed in this manner.

The action of the Wholesalers' Board of Trade will be determined by the adjourned meeting that is to be held this morning. Secretary Mushet was not prepared yesterday to say what this action will be.

M. L. Graff, attorney for the Wigmore Company, says most of the creditors are in the East, and that a formal statement of the assets and liabilities probably will be presented only to the interested parties. "It is a private business matter," he says, "that may be settled to mutual satisfaction."

DIED ALONE IN TENT.

Seeking Recovery of Health by Living in Open air, John Sequin Perishes of Consumption.

A most pathetic case came to light yesterday by the discovery of the dead body of John Sequin, a French-Canadian, in a tent in which he was living at the corner of Melrose and Woodward streets.

The tent is located on a lot on the Dayton tract, beyond the terminus of the Temple-street electric road, having been purchased some time since by Sequin, on the installment plan. He was a consumptive carpenter, and had evidently determined upon living in that way in the hope of regaining his health, but the cool and rainy weather was too much for him, and it is believed that he died on Sunday night, though the discovery was not made until yesterday.

He had done some odd jobs of carpentry in the neighborhood, and had commenced the building of a more permanent place of abode for himself.

He was found lying on a cot, fully dressed, and the tent contained a kit of fine carpenter's tools. There was a fireplace and an oil stove in the tent, though it seems that the only provisions he had were given to him by a neighbor on Sunday morning. The Coroner was notified, and removed the body to Bresee Bros.' undertaking rooms, where an inquest was held at 4 o'clock, and a verdict rendered that the deceased had died from consumption.

In his pocket was found a letter from Mrs. J. N. Archambault, dated at Montreal, Canada, who signed herself as his sister, and addressed him as "Dear John." The deceased appeared gentlemanly and of good education, and is well spoken of by those who knew him.

STANLEY WILL ACCEPT.

TOPEKA (Kan.) Feb. 10.—Ex-Gov. W. E. Stanley today decided he would take the place on the Dawes Commission that was tendered him yesterday, through the agency of Senator-Elect Long.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE—IN THE COURTS AND OFFICES.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Police Commissioners Keeney and Rule were appointed a committee by Mayor Snyder at the session of the Police Commission yesterday morning to bring before the Council the need of an ordinance licensing the social clubs and placing them under police regulation.

Complaint was made yesterday that the policemen are negligent in reporting business houses that are conducted without a license.

A prominent architect may be arrested today for obstructing the streets.

Supervisors to have power to build boulevards.

Congress Construction Company will clear postoffice sidewalk.

New license ordinance due in two weeks.

Col. Thomas A. Lewis was divorced from Kate Lewis yesterday.

The county has brought suit to compel the former Public Administer to turn Charles Hill's fortune into the custody of the County Treasurer.

In the Police Court yesterday the proprietor of Cleaver's laundry charged O. B. Wylie with robbing his customers.

AT THE CITY HALL.

SOCIAL CLUB EVIL WILL INVOKE LEGISLATION.

PLAN TO LICENSE ALL CLUBS HAS BEEN FORMULATED.

Proposed Ordinance Will Make it Optional With the Police Commission to Issue a License to an Organization—Vernon Residents Appear Before Commission.

Discussion of ways and means to regulate the social clubs occupied the attention of the Police Commission for some time yesterday morning. Commissioners Keeney and Rule were appointed a committee of two to appear before the Council next Monday and ask the passage of an ordinance imposing a license on social clubs. There is some doubt concerning the regulation that the Council can impose, in view of the State law under which the clubs operate; but Commissioner Keeney, who has investigated, believes that an ordinance can be passed which will force many of the worst organizations out of existence.

"I believe that laws can be passed for the strict regulation of the social clubs," said Keeney in introducing the subject. "There are no such laws now in existence, however, and I believe that the commission should take immediate steps to prevent such orgies as I understand are enacted at the 'Phoenix' and 'Lilly' clubs.

"If the Chief was instructed to place an officer at the door of the worst clubs I believe it would have a good effect. We won't call it a blockade, although that is what it amounts to in reality."

"Why could we not secure the passage of a law preventing girls under a certain age from going into such places?" asked the Mayor. "We have a curfew law and minors are not allowed in saloons."

"What would you do if the girls had an escort over the required age?" queried Chief Elton. "Anyway these girls are all over 18 years old when they are questioned."

"It is my purpose to go before the Council on Monday with a license measure which I believe will largely remedy the evil," said Keeney.

"In the mean time, Chief, you will take advantage of every existing law to suppress vice and lawlessness in these places," said the Mayor.

"I am doing that now," replied the Chief, "but there is very little that the police can do. It is doubtful whether we have any right to go into these places unless they permit us to enter, or unless we have some good reason to believe that there is a criminal or some person wanted by the police in the club."

"I move that a committee be appointed to express our views to the Council next Monday," said Rule.

It was so ordered and Mayor Snyder appointed Keeney and Rule.

Then it was decided on motion of Keeney that the Chief should police the social clubs and dancing houses next Saturday night and Sunday.

At this juncture a delegation from Vernon headed by Pastor Davies of the Congregational Church walked into the room.

"We have come to protest against the notorious 'Phoenix' club," said Pastor Davies. "It is a disgrace to the neighborhood and a disgrace to us, and what is our disgrace is your disgrace as well. It is detrimental to the business interests and to the morality of the city to have such a club in existence. We appeal to you in the interest of justice and morality."

Mayor Snyder then delivered one of his justly celebrated little homilies.

"These clubs have bothered the police department for a long time. The Police Commission is anxious to abolish these social clubs, but the power is not vested in us. I am glad that you are here today. Power to secure legislation that will regulate these clubs rests with the people. We promise you to do all we can to do away with these clubs, and we ask that you give us your coöperation."

Pastor Davies said that a union meeting at one of the churches to discuss the social clubs has already been arranged and that the people of the Vernon section are determined to press the matter. Councilman Davenport accompanied the delegation yesterday.

"This movement has my entire support, and I have been in sympathy with it from the beginning," said the big Sixth Ward legislator. "I shall push the matter in the Council for all I am worth."

The "Phoenix" club which has so roused the ire of the Vernon residents is conducted by H. Pierroni, an Italian, who has been arrested four times by the police. At one time he conducted a "blind pig" at the southern end of Vernon avenue, where the club is now located. The place has been a constant source of trouble to the police ever since Pierroni conducted a saloon at the place about four years ago. First the Police Commission took away his restaurant liquor license and then the saloon license. To outwit the police Pierroni established a social club, and business has been good with him ever since.

There is an understanding between the Police Commission and the Council already, and it was stated by two members of the municipal legislature yesterday that an ordinance will be passed licensing these clubs.

The joker in the ordinance will be a requirement that the social clubs secure from the Police Commission a license. The Police Commission believes that under such an ordinance they can refuse to grant a license to any club which is not composed of the law-abiding element.

STAR POINTERS.

City Clerk Lelande sent a communication to the commission calling attention to the neglect of policemen to make reports each month to the Clerk of persons doing business without a license. Ordinance 2232 provides that all police officers shall be assistant license inspectors who must examine all places of business on their beats and report all firms doing business without a license. Any police officer who fails to make a report of such a person or firm for more than thirty days is liable to suspension or dismissal from the department.

The license of Paul Kerkow at No. 344 South Spring street was revoked. On January 25 Kerkow was arrested for violating the Sunday closing ordinance, and last Monday he was convicted and fined $50 in the Police Court.

Application was made by the Vernon Improvement Association for police protection in the southern end of the city. The association asked that the city pay $50 toward the salary of T. S. Petri, a special officer, whom they desire to employ. The petition was referred to the Council without recommendation.

The following license transfers were granted: W. W. Shanahan, restaurant liquor license at No. 117 South Main street, from H. S. Kneedler; Wood & Grant, saloon license at No. 225 West First street from A. R. McCamly.

S. L. Humphrey was granted a restaurant liquor license at No. 120 West Fourth street. Druggists' licenses were issued to Edward G. Binz at No. 2500 South Main street and to Freeman, Liscomb & Co., at the southwest corner of Sixteenth and Hoover streets.

C. E. Finch and Henry Van Hee were appointed special officers without pay from the city. W. A. Bosqui's application to be appointed a special officer was denied for cause and William Appel's commission as a special officer was revoked.

To the Chief were referred the following applications: Hastiji Sano, restaurant liquor license, No. 2 China alley; C. C. Keiser, restaurant liquor license at No. 903 East First street; Fryberg, saloon license, No. 245 East First street; A. P. Ford and Robert Pantz for appointment as special policemen.

WERDIN ON WARPATH.

AFTER CARELESS CONTRACTORS.

By good fortune Street Superintendent Werdin discovered the foreman of the Congress Construction Company yesterday, and obtained from him a promise to remove the debris and fence on the sidewalk about the old postoffice Building at Fifth and Winston streets. Former Superintendent McGuire estimated that it would cost the city nearly $300 to remove the granite blocks and iron girders that now block the sidewalk. If the construction company can be made to do the work, this sum will be saved the city.

The Congress Construction Company is a Chicago organization, and does not maintain offices in this city. It was by the merest chance that Superintendent Werdin got trace of Foreman Gus Palmer and secured a promise that he will remove the material from the sidewalk. The company was given one week in which to clear away the wreckage.

A controversy concerning the relative rights of contractors and the Street Superintendent to control the streets that has been waged for two weeks between Architect R. B. Young and Street Superintendent Werdin, is scheduled to culminate this morning, in the arrest of Architect Young on complaint of the Street Superintendent. Building material has been placed on Broadway just below Seventh street, although no permit has been obtained form the street department. Superintendent Werdin says he proposes to find out whether a contractor can blockade a street at will. J. R. Lankershim is erecting a brick block at the southeast corner of Seventh and Broadway, and much material has been hauled on the street, although the cellar has not been completed. Superintendent Werdin maintains that there is no reason why contractors should keep a street blockaded for weeks longer than necessary.

LICENSES.

NEW SCHEDULE.

It was authoritatively given out yesterday, that the new license ordinance will be introduced in the Council one week from next Monday.

Saloonkeepers and brewers are exercised over the prospect that the license on saloons may be increased from $50 to $100 a month, and other liquor licenses in proportion. Gen. C. F. A. Last and John Hauerwaas had an executive conference with members of the Council yesterday afternoon, on this subject, but it could not be learned that they received any comforting assurances.

From other sources, however, it is ascertained that the Council will probably not increase the saloon license more than $25 a month, or from $50 to $75.

Baseball games are to come in for a stiff tax, it is stated. It has reached the ears of the committee that the local association made $38,000 last season, and as a baseball game (with the usual run of umpires) clearly demands police surveillance, the Councilmen say they will fix a license. Boxing contests are also on the list.

BOULEVARDS.

POWER IN SUPERVISORS.

To facilitate the construction of boulevards in the county, the Boulevard Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, in conjunction with the Law Committee and the City Attorney, has framed an amendment to the County Government Act, giving to Boards of Supervisors the power to expend the funds of the county in the building of boulevards. At the present time, this power is given to the governing bodies of municipalities, but not to the Supervisors.

Last night the proposed amendment was in shape to forward to Sacramento. Many letters urging its adoption have been sent to the Assemblymen and Senators from this section of the State. It is urged that the construction of boulevards will induce many Eastern people to build winter homes and will conduce to the upbuilding of large suburban communities.

It is generally believed that there will be little if any opposition to the passage of the amendment. The Chamber of Commerce and other civic bodies will take an active interest in urging its adoption.

WILLARD WITHDRAWS.

MAYOR WILL NAME ANOTHER.

In spite of "Hizzoner's" positive and numerous edicts that C. D. Willard must be a member of the new Civil Service Commission, the Mayor announced last evening that he would substitute another nomination for that of the appointee rejected by the Council.

Thus is the star reconciled to the presence on the stage of the lesser but necessary members of the cast, and the enactment of a one-man play spared the municipality.

Willard wrote a letter to his champion yesterday, asking the latter to please forbear establishing a city directorate on his account, and that they both give up the fight in the interest of peace and public weal. The letter reads as follows:

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 10, 1903.

M. P. Snyder, Mayor—Dear Sir: I note by the interviews with you in the daily papers that it is your purpose to send my name in again to the Council for the Civil Service Commission.

While I feel indebted to you for the compliment of my selection for this work, and also for your disposition to stand by me under criticism, I am going to ask you not to follow the policy you have outlined, but, on the other hand, to withdraw my name and substitute that of some other person who is—as the charter amendment requires—known by you to be devoted to the principles of civil-service reform.

My primary interest in this matter is, and always will be, the reform itself. Even if it were within your power to force this nomination on the Council, the inevitable result would be a continued fight, a lamentable amount of ill feeling on all sides, strained relations between the Council and the Civil Service Commission, and possibly no little embarrassment to yourself and your administration. To put the municipal service on a merit basis involves a vast amount of work, even under the most favorable conditions, and with a Council waging a personal fight against any member of the commission, it would come near to being an impossibility. Like the average American citizen, I dislike to seem to retreat under fire, but if the fight is to result in endangering a reform for which thousands of the best men of the city have worked faithfully, then there is nothing for me to do but yield good-naturedly to the inevitable. I would have been glad to have helped with the work of administering it, but there are plenty of others who will serve just as efficiently and not put the commission under fire.

I desire to thank you again for the compliment you have paid me and to congratulate you upon the excellent choice you have made in the four remaining commissioners.

Sincerely yours,

C. D. WILLARD.

The Mayor did not change his front with much grace, and last evening expressed surprise and chagrin that the Council should be so presumptuous as to exercise their rights under the charter.

Salary Ordinances.

When Mayor Snyder signed the twelve salary ordinances passed by the Council, nearly all of the employés affected thought that the question was finally settled. But such is not the case. The referendum provision in the charter was overlooked. Under that section of the charter, the ordinances will not go into effect for thirty days from the time of their approval by the Mayor. Therefore the city employés will have to wait another month before receiving increased pay. When the question was brought up yesterday, several of the interested deputies deplored the fact that they had not insisted at the time that the ordinances were emergency measures, and as such immediately could be put in force.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

MRS. TOM A. LEWIS IS NOW DIVORCED.

BLANTON DUNCAN'S DAUGHTER FREE OF ENTANGLEMENTS.

Joe Albrecht's Mother Wants His Body Sent to Her—The County Brings Suit to Get the Custody of Miser Hill's Big Fortune.

Col. Thomas A. Lewis got a divorce yesterday from Blanton Duncan's daughter. This is the last chapter of the choicest morsel upon which gossip has fed for a long time.

The hearing of the divorce was a very mild affair. The ground was desertion. Col. Lewis testified that Mrs. Lewis left him, saying that she would never live with him again. Dr. Lewis, a brother of the plaintiff, said that Mrs. Lewis had told him the same thing.

Mrs. Lewis was not present. She is now in Kentucky.

"TWO-CENT GAMBLER."

IN A DIVORCE CASE.

"Judge Habeas Corpus" Ladd had a lady client who got nervous yesterday doing her part in a "smutty" divorce suit.

Her name is Mrs. Harriett Thomas. She was suing Joseph Thomas for divorce, on the ground of cruelty, and non-support. He had a counter charge of adultery against her.

She took the witness stand and told how Thomas had flourished a razor at her, and tore all the clothes from her because she went to a party, of which he did not approve.

When Judge Wilbur ordered the adjournment of court at noon, Mrs. Thomas created a sensation by refusing to leave the witness stand. She said that her husband had vowed to kill her if she won this suit. She also edified the court by displaying the torn lingerie, which she brought wrapped up in a paper. She said her husband was a two-cent gambler. The case was not finished.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION.

BLOCK AND HOUSE NUMBERING.

Two long and animated sessions of the Highway Commission were held at the Courthouse yesterday. There was a large attendance, both from the country and the city. The Executive Committee submitted a lengthy report, the first section of which, referring to the aligning and naming of four principal highways leading out of Los Angeles, was as follows:

"We recommend that the road leading northerly via Buena Vista street, Avenue 20, Tropico, San Fernando, Saugus, Acton, Palmdale, Lancaster and Mojave, to the Kern county line, be officially designated the San Fernando road; that the road leading easterly via Eastlake Park, Five-mile House, Ramona, El Monte, Puente, Lemon, Spadra and Pomona, to the San Bernardino county line, be officially designated as San Bernardino road; that the road leading southeasterly via Seventh street, Laguna rancho, and Santa Fé Springs, toward the Orange county line, be officially designated as the San Diego road; and that the road leading westerly via Washington street and Ivy to the beach at Ocean Park be officially designated Washington road."

The subject of block and house numbering was then taken up, A. L. Bancroft advocated a system perfected by himself, and illustrated its workings by diagrams. The subject was discussed at considerable length by Messrs. Currier, Griffith, Quinn, Boothe, Olmsted, Mason, Bixby, Davis and Knight, resulting in the adoption of the Bancroft system, with one modification, namely, the insertion of the exact number of miles within the circle at the top of all the milestone monuments. This leaves what is believed to be a nearly perfect system of block and house numbering to be placed on each monument.

A monument was exhibited by Mr. Morrison of the Southern California Artificial Stone Company. Its dimensions were 4½ feet long, by 12 inches wide and 6 inches thick. It was made of three parts sand and one part cement, and is said to be strong and tough. These monuments will cost, duly lettered and numbered, $2 each at the factory in Los Angeles. It was decided that for the present posts shall be erected only at full mile distances, but that in measuring the roads, fractions of a mile in tenths shall be indicated where desired.

Mr. Bixby desired the Committee to name three additional roads, as follows: The old Santa Barbara stage road, via Cahuenga Pass, to be called "Camino Real;" the old Tomlinson and Griffith stage road, via Main street and Gardena to San Pedro, to be called the "Main-street road;" and the main highway to the south, via Central avenue, Compton and Cerritos, to Long Beach, to be called the "American avenue." Referred to the Executive Committee.

Mr. Olmsted favored the formation of improvement associations along the various roads which come under the plans of the Highway Commission, and stated that one of the prominent railroads in the East has a ladies' improvement club organized in the vicinity of each station, to stimulate and aid in beautifying the surrounding grounds.

Mr. Mason learned that the road leading southeasterly from Santa Fé Springs has not yet been deeded to the county, and is therefore used by the suffrage of adjacent land owners. He was appointed a committee to secure the right of way from the owners, so that the San Diego road can be extended from the point named to the Orange county line.

Owing to the pressure of other duties, William H. Knight, who has been acting as secretary since the organization of the commission, resigned his official position, and recommended Dana Burks as his successor. His resignation was accepted with regret, and a vote of thanks tendered for his services, and Mr. Burks was duly elected to the position.

The next general meeting of the commission will be held on the Second Tuesday of March.

DOCTOR CHARGED

WITH BAD DOCTORING.

Dr. I. N. Hughey of Pomona has been sued for $5400 for alleged malpractice. The plaintiff in the suit is H. S. Foote.

Mr. Foote claims that one of his eyes was affected with gonorrhoeal ophthalmia. He went to Dr. Hughey, and was treated for twelve days. He alleges that the malady should have yielded readily to treatment, but that it grew worse under the care of Dr. Hughey.

According to his allegation, he finally lost the sight of his left eye. After that, his other eye became sick and sore. He went to another doctor. He says he had to pay him $100 to undo the damage done by the first doctor.

Dr. Hughey has not yet replied to the charges.

FAMOUS HAYES ASKS

FOR A DIVORCE.

Charles Holcomb Hayes, who has kept the courts agog by getting himself into one sensation after another, varied the programme with a divorce suit yesterday.

He appeared in Judge York's court, asking for a divorce from Mayne Hayes, who is said to be an actress at the Globe Theater, London. He claimed that his wife declined to live with him. He could not give satisfactory proof of a year's desertion, and the court denied the divorce.

Strange to say, a witness for Hayes was Miss Anna Albertus, one of the maiden ladies who sued Hayes some time ago, to know what he had done with her estate.

When she went on the stand, the court asked her some pretty pertinent questions about that old suit. She appeared almost stunned at the misfortune of Hayes in not getting the divorce.

ALBRECHT'S MOTHER

WANTS HIS BODY.

The relatives of the curious little miser of the woodshed who worked himself to death trying to get money enough to regain his lost position in San Francisco society, have been heard from.

Yesterday, the Public Administrator got a telegram from Albrecht's mother, Ellen Albrecht, and his brother, James Albrecht, both of whom live in San Francisco. They asked him for particulars, and asked if the body had been buried.

The Public Administrator telegraphed in reply that the body had been embalmed; he asked them to send a photograph for the purposes of identification.

He received another telegram from the mother and brother, asking him to send the body on. This will be done if the photograph shows deceased to have been Joseph Albrecht.

COUNTY WANTS

HILL'S MONEY.

Now the county has taken a hand in the fight over the estate of the old miser, Charles Hill. Yesterday, suit was begun by which the county may get a rake-off of 1 per cent. of the big estate.

The real object of the suit is to test the constitutionality of a State law, which makes the County Treasurer custodian of the funds of estates in the hands of the Public Administrator.

This suit was brought against former Public Administrator Kellogg, who has charge of the Hill estate. Mr. Kellogg has old Hill's $120,000 in one of the banks. The county asks for a writ of mandamus to compel him to turn over the money to the County Treasurer. If this is done, the county will get 1 per cent. of the money for taking care of it.

Judge Allen has issued an order directing Kellogg to turn over the money or to appear in court, February 20, and show cause why he should not do so.

BROOME'S OIL STOCK

HIS WIDOW'S OPINION.

The estate of W. H. Broome, who was killed by N. M. Melrose at Acton, came into the hands of the court yesterday. Broome's widow filed a petition for letters of administration, giving the value of the estate as $10,000.

Broome's notorious Actonoma oil stock, which indirectly was the cause of the murder, she put in as of "value unknown." It was this oil stock that made trouble between Melrose and Broome. Broome was exploiting the stock, and Melrose wrote letters East, asserting that the oil company was a fake.

Broome had 100,000 shares.

He left one child, Glen Francis Broome, aged 9.

COURT NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SAVED THE GIRL. Rather than drag the girl's story out before the public, the rape charge against Ben Leveen was dropped yesterday. The case was first set for day before yesterday, but was continued, because it was stated that the girl would not come into court and testify. Her name is Grace Usrey. It is stated that the girl's father will not allow the young couple to marry as they wish.

FISHERMEN PETITION. A number of fishermen of San Pedro have petitioned the Board of Supervisors for space along the water front, claiming the big corporations are taking it all. The board denied the petition, as they have no water front to give away.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

INFLUENCE OF WEATHER ON HOBO CRIMINALS.

LONG LIST OF HEAVY SENTENCES PASSED YESTERDAY.

Laundryman Wylie Charged With Abstracting Linen from Bundles of Customers—Bums Would Rob Their Chum Who "Set 'Em Up."

Hobo morals have suffered a shock, as a result of the rainy weather, or else the 'bos are filled with a desire to get under cover. If the latter has been the motive they are meeting with eminent success, as will be apparent by the following sentences passed yesterday by Justice Austin:

E. J. Manning, 100 days for stealing a suit of clothes; M. O. Halverson, 90 days for the theft of a pair of trousers; John Sullivan, 100 days for stealing an overcoat; George Cohen, 100 days for going through the pockets of a man sleeping in a hallway; Arthur Raymond, 120 days for breaking the seal on a freight car to find a dry place to sleep; William McDonnell, 90 days for stealing a pair of trousers; Andrew Patterson, twenty-five days for acting as capper while his pard stole an overcoat.

Liked Fine Linen.

O. B. Wylie was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday on a charge of petty larceny, preferred by A. W. Cleaver, proprietor of Cleaver's laundry, and the hearing set for Wednesday.

The specific charge was the stealing of a table cloth from a laundry bundle in November last, but it is only one of many others that may be brought against him, Cleaver says, if it is thought necessary to do so.

Wylie has been the owner of one of the routes of the laundry and for months past various articles have been missed from bundles, and Wylie has been suspected, but for various reasons nothing has been done till now. Last week the sorter at the laundry notified Cleaver that the missing tablecloth, for the loss of which Cleaver had paid, had been discovered in a bundle brought in by Wylie, to be laundered for himself, and that sundry other articles of stolen linen were in the same bundle. Wylie was accordingly arrested, and pending his hearing tomorrow, is released on $75 cash bail.

The sorrowful part of the story is that about the time the stealing began the defendant was married, and the goods taken have been, as a rule, table linen. When the rooms occupied by the couple at No. 621 South Main street, were searched, many of the articles were found.

Wylie claims that he will be able to clear himself of the charge, and that Mr. Cleaver is only actuated by a desire to injure him.

Ungrateful Bums.

Officer Lennon found a man cornered in an alley in the rear of a saloon Sunday night, and three or four bums trying to get his money away from him. They were all arrested as drunks, no other charge being pressed against them. The fellow who had the money had treated the other three, and then they attempted to do him up, because he displayed his cash.

Justice Austin handed it out to them pretty hot. D. R. Monroe, a printer, got twenty days; W. D. Casey, a laborer, twenty-five days; Charles Wiedner, a sailor, whose ship is lying at San Pedro, twenty-five days.

RULERS OF THE WORLD.

Meat Eating Nations Are the Leaders in Every Branch of Human Achievement.

The ruling nations of the world are meat eaters and history records that they always have been.

Vegetarians and food cranks may explain this in any way they choose, but the facts remain that the Americans, English, French, Russians and Germans are meat-eating nations, and they are also the most energetic and most progressive.

The principal food of the heroic Boer soldier known as Biltong, is a sort of dried beef, affording a great deal of nourishment in a highly-concentrated form.

The weak races of people are the rice-eating Chinese, Hindoos, and Siamese, regarded since the dawn of history as non-progressive, superstitious and inferior physically and mentally to the meat-eating nations who dominate them.

The structure of the teeth plainly indicates that human beings should subsist upon a variety of food, meat, fruit and grains, and it is unhygienic to confine one's diet to any one of those classes to the exclusion of another.

Meat is the most concentrated and most easily digested of foods, but our manner of living is often so unnatural that the digestive organs refuse to properly digest meat, eggs and similar nutritious and wholesome food, but it is not because such food is unwholesome, but the realreason is that the stomach lacks, from disease or weakness, some necessary digestive element; hence arising indigestion and later on, chronic dyspepsia.

Nervous people should eat plenty of meat, convalescents should make meat the principal food, hard-working people have to do so and brain workers and office men should eat, not so much meat, but at least once a day and to insure its perfect digestion one or two of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets should be taken after each meal, because they supply the peptones, diastase and fruit acids, lacking in every case of stomach trouble.

Nervous dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, gastritis, sour stomach, gas and acidity are only different names for indigestion, the failure to digest wholesome food, and the use of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets cures them all because by affording perfect digestion the stomach has a chance to rest and recover its natural tone and rigor.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the real household medicine; it is as safe and pleasant for the stomachache of the baby as it is for the imperfect digestion of its grand sire.

They are not a cathartic, but a digestive and no pill habit can ever follow their use; the only habit Stuart's Tablets induce is the habit of good digestion and consequently good health.

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THE ORANGE MARKET.

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NEW YORK AVERAGE PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Fifteen cars of California [illegible] sold today; market steady but [illegible] light; prospects poor unless [illegible] demand increases. Considerable [illegible] spotted and scarred, poor colors, [illegible] showing decay. Seedlings inferior [illegible] old. Fair demand for grape fruit. [illegible] hundred cars in sight. Weather [illegible]. Navels, fancy large, 2.80; [illegible], 2.22; fancy large, 2.70; regulars, 2.22; choice, large, 2.19; regulars, [illegible]; choice seedlings, 20 cents lower. Fourteen thousand Sicily lemons, [illegible]ship Pocahontas, sold; market [illegible] higher, but slow demand for [illegible] and particularly fancy grades; [illegible] of 25,000 due, will probably sell [illegible] 17th; market should clean up [illegible] in the meantime, and prospects become more favorable; fancy 300s, 2.00@2.60; 360s, 1.65@2.05; choice 300s 1.65 to 2.10; 360s, 155 to 1.75. A large offering of foreign oranges caused the market to weaken. Valencias wasty, sour and puffy; 1900 cases, 2.60; 720 boxes Porto Ricans, weak, 1.27; 2150 Italians, 1.70; 1360 halves, 1.03; 240 barrels Jamaicas, 3.30.

BOSTON PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Cargo of Briardale sold today 1100 Messina lemons and 2400 Palermo lemons; Palermo fancy, 300s, 2.40 to 3.25; 360s, 2.25 to 2.40; choice 300s, 2.00 to 2.90; 360s, 1.95 to 2.15; Messinas, fancy, 300s, 2.75 to 2.90; choice 300s, 2.25 to 2.45; 360s, 1.90 to 2.20, fair quality and condition. Four hundred and sixty barrels Jamaica oranges, averaged 5.08; 560 boxes averaged 2.54.

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FINANCIAL.

BANK CLEARINGS. The clearings of the Los Angeles clearinghouse today (Tuesday) were $970,714.48; same day a year ago $661,355.07.

BANKS MUST REPORT. The [illegible] of the Currency has issued [illegible] for all national banks to report their respective conditions at the [illegible] of business February 6.

NEW BANKRUPT LAW. President [illegible] has signed the bill which [illegible] the bankruptcy law of 1896. [illegible] bill modifies the existing law in [illegible] important particulars, the [illegible] one of which is a provision in [illegible] to preferred creditors. Under [illegible] those who have received payment from a person who had soon [illegible] been declared bankrupt [illegible] not have other claims passed without surrendering the amount [illegible]. This provision was modified [illegible] to allow the creditors to retain [illegible] received unless the previous [illegible] was fraudulent. This change [illegible] with a decision of the [illegible] Court. Another amendment [illegible] four new objections to a discharge intended to prevent persons [illegible] going through bankruptcy, the [illegible] important of which are the giving of a false mercantile statement [illegible] the making of a fraudulent transfer of property. The bill also provides [illegible] shall be an objection to a discharge [illegible] a voluntary bankrupt seeks [illegible] through bankruptcy more than [illegible] years. Another amendment [illegible] the appointment of a re[illegible] corporation which is in[illegible] of bankruptcy that [illegible] to choose their own [illegible] important change is [illegible] Federal court con[illegible] of suits to recover [illegible] been fraudulently [illegible] amendments allow [illegible]rupts to testify in [illegible] provide for an increase [illegible] referees and trustees [illegible] of about 50 per cent. [illegible] allowed by the present [illegible]bit the courts from al[illegible] fees than the law per[illegible] case and add to the list [illegible] which a bankrupt can[illegible] by a discharge from. The new law includes [illegible] and children and all[illegible] list of corporations which [illegible] bankruptcy is increased [illegible] mining corporations.

COMMERCIAL.

PACKING. The Cincinnati [illegible] of January 29 says there [illegible] moderate falling off in sup[illegible] hogs for the week. Total [illegible] 495,000, compared with [illegible] preceding week, and 470,000 [illegible] ago. For corresponding time [illegible] the number was 555,000, and [illegible] ago 520,000. From Novem[illegible] total is 6,395,000, against [illegible] year ago—a decrease of [illegible]. The quality is generally [illegible]. Prices at the close are about [illegible] as a week ago, prominent [illegible] averaging $6.55 per 100 pounds, [illegible] with $6.55 a week ago, $6.35 [illegible] ago, $6.05 a year ago, and [illegible] years ago. The speculative [illegible] market was not particularly [illegible] the past week. Toward the close [illegible] tone prevailed, and quotations [illegible] the leading articles are lower [illegible] the close a week ago at Chicago. The receipts of hogs and the [illegible] for them are the most important [illegible] on values, and with [illegible] features favoring the easy side [illegible] market there was a falling off [illegible]. Sellers were not offering [illegible] freedom, however, and [illegible] quite moderate. The most [illegible] was in May contracts, [illegible] July deliveries are receiving [illegible] attention. The export clear[illegible] product were fair, but show [illegible] decrease as compared with [illegible] week, but an increase [illegible] corresponding time last year.

LOCAL BUSINESS TOPICS.

FRUIT SHIPMENTS. Shipments [illegible] fruits from Southern [illegible] Monday were 40 carloads [illegible] and 4 of lemons. The total [illegible] November 1, 1902, to [illegible] carloads, of which 610 are [illegible]

[illegible] IN CHICKENS. We [illegible] young Fallbrook rancher [illegible] of eggs produced on [illegible] last month. If there [illegible] elsewhere in this vicinity [illegible] this, we would like to [illegible]. A large number can [illegible] but it must be done [illegible]. System in feeding, [illegible] from vermin, bone, [illegible] egg producer, are [illegible].—[Fallbrook Re[illegible]

PRODUCE MARKETS.

[illegible] reported fair today [illegible] the warm weather [illegible] set things humming [illegible] at the Produce Exchange and resulted in [illegible] among the dealers [illegible] continue to attract attention [illegible] tumbling act. They [illegible] cent yesterday and [illegible] 22@23 cents for candled [illegible] candling is required now, [illegible] the fact that the demand [illegible] everything as fast as [illegible] offered. In a jobbing way [illegible] quantity for 21 cents. [illegible] are not enormous, but they [illegible] to be plentiful, although [illegible] that the decline of the [illegible] has been too rapid and [illegible] approaching the sup[illegible] hard run by the demand [illegible] a season by lowering [illegible] maintains its firmness [illegible] scarcity; northern market [illegible] decline, going down 2 or [illegible] days; pasturage is booming with the warm weather; receipts a little more plentiful.

Cheese unchanged; active; it follows butter; none too plentiful.

Fancy potatoes are hard to get; other grades steady, although supplies are abundant and there is a full range of prices.

Onions are weaker; Monday's prices still obtain.

Vegetables are firm; in fair supply; active demand.

Fresh fruits active again; dried fruits still dull.

Beans firm; quiet locally.

Sugar situation uncertain; Monday's decline of 15 cents makes a total drop of 55 cents since the holidays, prior to which time there had been an advance of 60 cents.

Flour is firm.

Poultry scarce; coops empty; hard to supply the demand.

Game in fair supply; delayed trains failed to land ducks and geese in Los Angeles till afternoon; quickly cleaned up.

Fish wanted; some large fish; small fry very scarce.

No change in hay and grain.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 70; Coast creamery, 70; dairy, 67½; cooking, 50; all 2-lb. rolls.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 22@23; cold storage, nominal; fresh eastern, largely nominal.

CHEESE—California, Anchor, per lb., 17½; California, Young America, per lb., 18½; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 19½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 13@12½; domestic Swiss, per lb., 19; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 16@16½; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15½; Mazaw, 15@16.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., Early Rose, seed, 1.60; Nevada Pearls, fancy, 1.35@1.40; Nevada Burbanks 1.25@1.35; Oregon, 1.25@1.30; Highland, 80@90; Salinas, 1.40@1.50.

ONIONS—Oregon, 1.00@1.15; Nevada, fancy, 1.25@1.35.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 80@90; cabbage, 70@80; carrots, 1.25@1.50 per cwt.; green chiles, 8@9 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 50@75; lettuce, per lb., 25@30; parsnips, 90@1.00 per cwt.; green peas, 2@3; radishes, per doz. bunches, 15@20; string beans, 10@11; turnips, 70@75 per cwt.; garlic, 3@5; tomatoes, per case, 2.00@2.25; summer squash, per box, 1.00@1.25; celery, 40@50; egg plant, per lb., 10@12; cauliflower, 75 per doz.; watercress, 35@40 per doz.; spinach, 14@18 per doz.

Beans and Lentils.

BEANS—Pink, per cwt., 3.25@3.50; Lady Washington, 3.75@4.00; small white, 3.75@4.00; Limas, 4.50@5.00; Garbanzos, 3.75@5.00; field peas, 3.50; lentils, 7.00@7.50; horse beans, 3.50.

Sugar.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. cost 10c, ½ bbls. 25c, and boxes 50c per 100 lbs. more. All prices are net cash. Beet sugar, 4.37½; cane sugar, 4.47½; cube, 4.00; powdered, 4.35; confectioners' A, 4.75; extra C, 4.25; Golden C, 4.15; D, 4.05.

Dried Fruits, Nuts, Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@9; apricots, 6@8; peaches, fancy, 7@8; choice, 6@7; pears, fancy evaporated, 9@10; plums, pitted, 7@8; prunes, choice, 3@6; fancy, 6@9; dates, 5@9; new crop, 7@10; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8@9.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 3.00; London Layers, per box, 1.60@2.00; loose, 6¼@7 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 5@7½.

NUTS—Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 13@13½; hardshell, 10@12; Brazils, 11; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6½; roasted, 8½; California, choice raw, 5@5½; California, fancy raw, 5½; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 11¾@12½; hardshell, first grade, 10@11; pinones, New Mexico, 7.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 1.25@2.00; green, 75@1.25.

ORANGES—Navels, per box, 1.50@2.50.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@2.25.

LIMES—Per 100, 20@1.25.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 75@1.00.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 1.25@2.75.

PERSIMMONS—Per lb., 12@14.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@6.00.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 12.00.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 14@18; fancy, 18@50.

GUAVAS—Per box, 10@12.

APPLES—Per box, 1.00@1.75.

PEARS—Per box, 1.25@1.75.

OLIVES—Per gal., green, 75@90; black, 85@1.25.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 14½; California, 9½; Winchester, medium, 14½; do., small, 15; Premium, 15½; skinned, 14½@15; Gold Band, 15½; mild cured, 14.

DRY SALT PARK—Per lb., clear bellies, 12½@13½; short clears, 12½; clear backs, 11½@12½.

DRIED BEEF—Insides, 14½@16½.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 15; Winchester, medium, 15½; light, 16; Empire, 17½; Premium, 19; Diamond C, 18½; 49'er, 17½; Gold Band, 19.

LARD—Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12¼; Comp. lard, tcs. bas., 9¼@9½; suetene, 9½; Rex, tierces, 11½; White Label, tierces, 12¼.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 3.70@4.00; northern, 4.60; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 6.00; lower grades, 2.90@4.90; graham flour, 2.20.

ROLLED BARLEY—1.55.

CRACKED CORN—1.50.

BRAN—1.20.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 28@30.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 11@14; extracted, 6@7.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 6.50@7.00.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.50 for prime steers; 3.50@4.50 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.00@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 3.50@4.00; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7¼@7½.

VEAL—Per lb., 8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 9@12; lamb, 10.

PORK—Per lb., 9¼.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 13@13½ per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@13; for turkeys, 16@19; geese, 11@12.

COLD STORAGE—Turkeys, 20@22 per lb.; hens, 16@17 per lb.; ducks, 14@16 per lb.

Game.

GAME—Per doz., ducks, canvasbacks 5.00@7.00; mallards 5.00@6.00; sprigs, 2.50@3.00; widgeons, 2.00@2.50; teal, 2.25@2.75. Geese—Honkers, 7.00@8.00; gray, 4.50@5.00; white, 2.50@3.00; doves, 1.25@1.50; cottontails, 1.35@1.50; rabbits, 75@1.00; hares, 1.25@1.50.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—1.30.

OATS—1.35@1.40.

CORN—1.25.

WHEAT—1.55@1.65.

HAY—Barley, 12.00@14.00; alfalfa, 11.50@12.00; tame oat, 12.00@14.00; wheat, 11.00@12.00.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The spirited strength and activity with which the stock market opened today was not maintained, and the tone of the market became gradually more reactionary, and at last easy, with general net declines running to a point or more in a few of the leading active stocks. The most prominent of these was Wabash preferred, in which so much of yesterday's strength and activity centered. This fact made the speculative sentiment susceptible to the fact, which became very obvious this morning, that there was very large selling going on of Wabash preferred, under cover of the new strength which it was sought to develop elsewhere. The suspicion got abroad that the apparent active demand for these stocks and the show of strength which this gave to them was due rather to skillful manipulation by the speculative pools having them in hand, than to any sudden realization of their value at present prices on the part of a widespread public demand. The whole movement of the day was strictly technical, and was little influenced by any of the day's news. The size of the individual orders in Rock Island, for which the accepted unit seemed to be 1000 shares, gave an artificial appearance to the movement in that stock, so that it had little impression on sentiment when it was moved upward in the face of the general reaction which took hold of the market during the second hour. The support of Missouri Pacific had no better success in restoring the tone of the market. The Atchisons were accorded their turn in the advance, and among the specialties Amalgamated, People's Gas, Brooklyn Transit and American Smelting were conspicuous. Sterling exchange continued to advance, and London to sell stocks here, but these factors were no more prominent than during yesterday's stock market. Call money continued easy, and an advance in sterling at Paris sufficiently offset the rise here to keep gold exports beyond profitable. The bill introduced yesterday by the chairman of the Finance Committee of the United States Senate for liberalizing the provisions for deposits with national banks, was considered an important influence in the opening strength of the market. The approach of the Thursday holiday may have had its influence upon the realizing movement of the day. The bond market continued irregular. Total sales, par value, $3,530,000. United States new 4s registered and the 2s declined ¼ per cent. on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	83½	Texas & Pacific	42¼
Atchison pfd	101⅛	T. St. L. & W.	29½
Baltimore & Ohio	102¾	T. St. L. pfd	46
B. & O. pfd	96¼	Union Pacific	102⅝
Canadian Pacific	137⅞	Union Pac. pfd	94⅞
Canada Southern	74½	Wabash	31⅝
Chesa. & Ohio	52⅝	Wabash pfd	51⅝
Chicago & Alton	36⅝	W. & L. E.	27
C. & Alton pfd	71⅝	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	38
C., I. & L.	67	Wis. Central	28¼
C., I. & L. pfd	80	Wis. Cen. pfd	54¼
C. & E. Illinois	210	Express Co's—	
Chicago & G. W.	28	Adams	230
C. & G. W. "A"	82	American	225
C. & G. W. "B"	44⅝	United States	117
Chicago & N. W.	219½	Wells-Fargo	230
Chicago Terminal	18½	Miscellaneous—	
Chicago Ter. pfd	34	Amal. Copper	70
C. C. C. & St. L.	95½	Am. Car & F.	41
Colo. Southern	30¾	Am. C. & F. pfd	91⅞
Colo. So. 1st pfd	70½	Am. Linseed Oil	17½
Colo. So. 2d pfd	45	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	44⅝
Del. & Hudson	180¼	Am. S. & R.	48½
D., L. & W.	260	Am. S. & R. pfd	98⅝
Denver & R. G.	41½	Anaconda M. Co.	111½
D. & R. G. pfd	89⅝	Brooklyn R. T.	69¾
Erie	40⅜	Colo. Fuel & I.	75¼
Erie 1st pfd	72⅛	Con. Gas	217½
Erie 2d pfd	61	Cont'l Tob. pfd	117½
Great N. pfd	200	Gen. Electric	195¼
Hocking Valley	102⅝	Hocking Coal	20⅝
Hock. Val. pfd	96⅝	Int'l Paper	18½
Illinois Central	146	Int'l Paper pfd	72
Iowa Central	44⅝	Int'l Power	53
Iowa Cen. pfd	73	Laclede Gas	90
Lake Erie & W.	48½	Nat'l Biscuit	47
L. E. & W. pfd	117	Nat'l Lead	28⅝
Louis. & Nash	126⅝	North American	116
Manhattan L.	144½	Pacific Coast	69
Met. St. Ry	137⅝	Pacific Mail	40
Mexican Central	26⅝	People's Gas	107⅝
Mexican Nat'l	19½	P. Steel Car	62⅝
Minn. & St. L.	106	P. S. Car pfd	92⅝
Missouri Pacific	114⅝	Pull. Palace Car	232
M., K. & Texas	29⅝	Republic Steel	21½
M., K. & T. pfd	62⅝	Rep. Steel pfd	79½
N. J. Central	180	Sugar	130⅝
N. Y. Central	150⅝	Tenn. Coal & I.	64½
Norfolk & W.	75½	Union Bag & P.	11½
N. & W. pfd	91	Union Bag pfd	78
Ontario & W.	34¼	U. S. Leather	14⅛
Pennsylvania	150⅞	U. S. L. pfd	94⅝
Reading	63⅝	U. S. Rubber	18½
Reading 1st pfd	88	U. S. R. pfd	56
Reading 2d pfd	78	U. S. Steel	39
St. Louis & S. F.	81	U. S. Steel pfd	88⅞
St. L. 1st pfd	82⅝	Western Union	89
St. L. 2d pfd	73	Am. Loc. Co.	29⅝
St. Louis S. W.	28⅝	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	94⅛
St. L., S. W. pfd	62½	K. C. Southern	34
St. Paul	179⅝	K. C. So. pfd	59
St. Paul pfd	192	Rock Island	50⅝
Southern Pacific	65⅞	Rock Isl. pfd	81⅛
So. Railway	36		
So. Railway pfd	95½		

Total sales for the day, 752,400 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg	108¾	Mex. Cen. 4s	77⅝
U. S. R. 2s coup	108¾	Mex. C. 1st Inc	27⅝
U. S. 3s reg	107	M. & St. L. 4s	103½
U. S. 3s coup	107	M. K. & T. 4s	99⅝
U. S. n. 4s reg	134½	M. K. & T. 2ds	82
U. S. n. 4s coup	135½	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	132¼
U. S. old 4s reg	110	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	103⅝
U. S. old 4s coup	110	N. P. 4s	103½
U. S. 5s reg	102⅝	N. P. 3s	72⅝
U. S. 5s coup	102⅝	N. & W. Con. 4s	101¼
Atchison, Gen. 4s	102½	Reading Gen. 4s	97⅝
Atchison, Adj. 4s	91⅝	St. L. & I. M. 5s	114½
B. & O. 4s	102⅝	St. L. & S. F. 4s	96
B. & O. 3½s	93⅝	St. L., S. W. 1sts	77
B. & O. Conv. 4s	105	St. L., S. W. 2ds	[illegible]
Can. So. 2ds	108½	S. A. & A. P. 4s	86
Cen. of Ga. 5s	108⅝	So. Pacific 4s	[illegible]
C. of Ga. 1st Inc	78	So. Railway 5s	117⅝
C. & O. 4½s	108½	Wis. Cen. 4s	92
C. & A. 3½s	71⅝	Cont'l Tob. 4s	64⅝
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	94⅝	C. F. & I.	92
C. M. & St. P. 4s	111½	Pennsylvania	106⅝
C. & N. W. 7s	132⅝	Rock Island	97½
C. R. I. & P. 4s	106	Manhattan	108⅝
C. C. C. & St. L.	99½	T. & P. 1sts	118
Chicago Ter. 4s	84	T., St. L. & W.	79½
Colo. & So. 4s	91	Union Pacific 4s	104⅝
D. & R. G. 4s	99	U. P. Conv. 4s	108⅝
Erie prior lien 4s	99	Wabash 1sts	117
Erie Gen. 4s	87⅝	Wabash 2ds	108
Fort Worth 1sts	111⅝	Wabash Deb. B.	82⅝
Hock. Val. 4½s	109	West Shore 4s	111
L. & N. Un. 4s	101	W. & L. E. 4s	92⅝

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		Mining—	
Call loans	3@5	Adventure	13½
Time loans	4½@5	Allouez	6
Bonds—		Amalgamated	69⅝
Atchison 4s	101	Daly-West	40
Gas 1st	106½	Bingham	38¼
Mex. Cen. 4s	76	C. & Hecla	530@540
Railroads—		Centennial	20¼
Atchison	88⅝	Copper Range	71
Atchison pfd	101¼	Franklin	12
Boston & Albany	261	Isle Royale	16¼
Boston & Maine	189½	Mohawk	57
Boston Elevated	150	Old Dominion	22
N. Y. N. H. & H.	220½	Osceola	73¼
Fitchburg pfd	142	Parrot	33⅝
Union Pacific	102½	Quincy	124
Mexican Central	26½	Santa Fe Copper	3⅝
Miscellaneous—		Tamarack	184
Am. Sugar	130⅝	Trimountain	97
Am. Sugar pfd	121⅝	Trinity	13⅝
Am. Tel. & Tel.	168⅝	United States	26⅝
Dom. I. & S.	52½	Utah	31⅝
Gen. Electric	195	Victoria	8½
Mass. Electric	35½	Winona	9⅝
United Fruit	109⅝	Wolverine	63½
U. S. Steel	38⅝		
U. S. Steel pfd	88⅝		
West'house Com.	106		

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Close—Money on call 2½@3½ per cent.; closing offered 3½ per cent. Time money, easy, 60 and 90 days, 4½ per cent.; six months, 4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4¾@5 per cent. Sterling exchange strong, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87 7-20@4.87 9-20 for demand, and at 4.84 7-20@4.84 9-20 for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.85 and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.83¾@4.84. Bar silver, 47⅝. Mexican dollars, 37½. Government bonds, weak; railroad bonds irregular.

London Silver.

LONDON, Feb. 10.—Consols, 93¾; silver, 22⅛.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—There were no sensational features in the trade in wheat, but prices were nervous and fluctuated easily. Commission houses were good buyers throughout the day, and there was some liquidation by local longs. The opening was steady, with May unchanged at 79¼@79⅜, and on bullish reports from Paris, claiming damage to the crop, there was a spurt to 79⅝, but the gain was quickly lost on selling, led by the principal longs. Later, local traders turned active buyers on the strong San Francisco market, and prices again rallied, but late in the day commission houses sold freely and the market eased off, the close being steady with May unchanged at 79¼@79⅜. Corn was the most active market on the floor, and the volume of business was large, while the sentiment was bullish, influenced largely by the comparatively small receipts and the poor grading. The close was firm, with May a shade higher at 45⅝. Oats were firm, in spite of the liberal commission-house selling. The closing was steady, with May a shade higher, at 37⅝@37¾. Provisions were dull, but firm, the hog situation tending to steady the market. The close was steady, with May pork 2½c lower; lard unchanged, and ribs a shade lower.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
February	75⅞
May	79¼@79⅜
July	74⅞
Corn, No. 2—	
May	45⅝
July	43⅝
Oats, No. 2—	
May	37⅝@37¾
July	33⅝

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 2 spring wheat, 80@81; No. 3, 72@79; No. 2 red, 75¾@76; No. 2 corn, 44; No. 2 yellow, 44; No. 2 oats, 33; No. 3 white, 35½@36¼; No. 2 rye, 49; good feeding barley, 42@46; fair to choice malting, 48@56; No. 1 flax seed, 1.16; No. 1 northwestern, 1.21; prime timothy seed, 3.60; mess pork, per bbl., 16.90@17.00; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.55@9.60; short ribs, sides (loose,) 9.00@9.20; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 8.12½@8.25; short clear sides (boxed,) 9.37½@9.50; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.30; clover, contract grade, 11.70.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	15,000	26,000
Wheat, bushels	60,000	18,000
Corn, "	275,000	138,000
Oats, "	250,000	187,000
Rye, "	7,000	5,000
Barley, "	113,000	11,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was quiet and steady; creamery, 16@25; dairy, 15@23; eggs, weak, 16; cheese, steady, 12@14.

Boston Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 10.—The wool market remains in about the condition previously noted with prices holding up well. There is apparently a feeling in the trade that the top has been reached, and while no lower prices are expected, at the same time any further advance is considered improbable. Fine Territory wools have been selling freely. Fine staple wools are unchanged at [illegible] with fine mediums at 54@56, and medium at 47@48. [illegible] fleece wools with a stronger feeling on choice lots; California, northern choice, 21@23; average, 17@19; middle counties, 15@16; southern, 12@13; fall, 16@17.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—The market for evaporated apples, feeling the effects of a light demand, is rather easy in tone, though prices show no further change. Common are quoted at 4@5; prime, 5¼@5½; choice, 5½@6½; fancy, 7@7¼. Prunes are attracting but a very moderate jobbing demand. They ruled easy on all but the best qualities, which are steadily held. Quotations range from 3¼@7¼ for all grades. Apricots are slightly more active, but are no more than steady at 7½@10 for boxes and 7½@10 for bags. Peaches continue quiet at 13@18 for peeled and 6¾@8 for unpeeled.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—There was a slight reaction in the London tin market today, prices there being 5s lower at £133 12s 6d for spot, and £133 2s 6d for futures. Locally, tin was quiet, but a shade easier, at 29.00@29.40. Copper advanced 2s 6d in London, closing at £56 17s 6d for spot, and £56 10s for futures, while here it remained quiet. Standard is quoted at 12.00; lake, 12.70@12.95; electrolytic, 12.70@12.80; casting, 12.37½@12.60. Lead and spelter dull and nominal all around. Iron was quiet and unchanged; warrants nominal.

Available Supplies.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Special cable and telegraphic advices received by Bradstreet's shows the following changes in available supplies: Wheat, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, decreased 400,000 bushels; afloat for and in Europe, decreased 1,800,000 bushels; total supply, increased 1,400,000 bushels. Corn, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increased 2,152,000 bushels. Oats, United States and Canada, east of the Rockies, increased 911,000 bushels.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Wheat—Spot steady; options closed ¼ higher; March, 84; May, 82¾; July, 79⅝; September, 77⅝. Hops firm. Hides quiet. Wool quiet. Coffee, spot Rio firm; mild quiet; options closed 5 points higher; March, 5.50; May, 4.65; July, 4.80; September, 4.95@5.00; November, 5.05. Sugar, raw firm; refined firm.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Butter—Receipts, 6600 packages; firm; State dairy, 15@25; creamery, extra, 26; June creamery, 17@25. Eggs—Receipts, 11,500 packages; unsettled; State and Pennsylvania, 21; western uncandied, 18@18; western candled, 19.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Sugar, raw, firm; fair refining, 3 3-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝; molasses sugar, 2 15-16; refined firm; crushed, 5.25; powdered, 4.75; granulated, 4.65.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Cotton futures closed net 4 to 9 points higher on all save August, September and October, which were unchanged to 1 point lower.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 10.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 76@77; blue stem, 86; valley, 78@79½.

Liverpool Grain.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 10.—Close: Wheat, March, 6s 4½d; May, 6s 2⅝d.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, Feb. 10.—Wheat 1c higher; blue stem, 80; club, 76½.

Cotton at Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 10.—Cotton, uplands, 5.00.

LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

OMAHA CLOSING FIGURES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 6000; slow; lower; native steers, 3.50@5.25; cows and heifers, 2.80@3.75; canners, 1.75@2.60; stockers and feeders, 3.00@4.60; calves, 3.00@6.00; bulls, stags, etc., 2.25@3.60. Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; stronger; heavy, 6.75@6.85; mixed, 6.70@6.75; light, 6.60@6.70; pigs, 5.75@6.50; bulk of sales, 6.70@6.75. Sheep—Receipts, 6000; steady; fed yearlings, 4.75@5.50; wethers, 4.50@5.10; ewes, 3.50@4.50; common and stockers, 1.50@4.25; lambs, 4.75@6.25.

Chicago Live-stock Market.

CHICAGO, Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; markets slow; good to prime steers, 4.60@5.75; poor to medium, 3.00@4.25; stockers and feeders, 2.30@4.40; cows, 1.40@4.50; heifers, 2.00@4.60; canners, 1.40@2.40; bulls, 2.00@4.25; calves, 3.50@8.00; Texas-fed steers, 3.50@4.25. Hogs—Receipts today, 24,000; tomorrow, 35,000; left over, 9000; strong, 5c higher; mixed and butchers', 6.60@7.00; good to choice heavy, 6.85@7.10; rough heavy, 6.60@6.85; light, 6.35@6.80; bulk of sales, 6.65@6.90. Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; sheep and lambs steady to strong; good to choice wethers, 4.50@5.50; fair to choice mixed, 3.50@4.50; western sheep, 4.25@5.40; native lambs, 4.50@6.40; western lambs, 4.75@6.40.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 13,000, including 2000 Texans; market steady to 10c lower; native steers, 3.00@5.30; Texas and Indian steers, 2.30@4.45; Texas cows, 2.30@2.65; native cows and heifers, 1.75@2.85; stockers and feeders, 2.85@4.30; bulls, 2.40@3.80; calves, 2.50@6.30; western steers, 2.75@5.10; western cows, 1.75@3.05. Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; market steady to strong; bulk of sales, 6.75@6.90; heavy, 6.80@6.95; packers, 6.67½@6.85; medium, 6.70@6.90; light, 6.35@6.75; Yorkers, 6.65@6.75; pigs, 6.00@6.35. Sheep—Receipts, 5000; market strong; muttons, 3.50@5.10; lambs, 3.60@6.25; range wethers, 3.00@4.85; ewes, 3.00@4.90.

Denver Live-Stock Market.

DENVER (Colo.) Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 650; firm; beef steers, 3.75@4.75; cows, 2.50@3.75; feeders, freight paid to river, 3.50@4.25; stockers, 3.00@4.00; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@3.50. Hogs—Receipts, 500; higher; light packers, 6.70@6.75; mixed, 6.75@6.80; heavy, 6.80@6.90. Sheep—Receipts, 300; firm; good fat muttons, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 4.00@5.25.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Wheat stronger; barley weaker; oats, hay, bran and middlings, firm; beans firmer; butter quiet; eggs weak; cheese easy; oranges, lemons and limes quiet; pears steady; fancy potatoes steady; onions easy; green peas, string beans, egg plant and tomatoes quiet; choice poultry steady.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 4.40@4.65; bakers' extras, 4.30@4.40; Oregon and Washington, 3.70@4.20.

Barley—Feed, 1.20; brewing, 1.30; Chevalier, 1.50@1.75.

Oats—Red, 1.25@1.32½; white, 1.25@1.45; black, 1.20@1.27½.

Hay—Wheat, 11.00@14.50; wheat and oat, 11.00@13.50; oat, wild, 10.00@11.50; barley, 10.00@11.00; alfalfa, 10.00@12.00; clover, 10.00@10.50; straw, 47½@57½.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 60@95; river Burbanks, 40@55; Salinas Burbanks, 90@1.15; river reds, 35@40; Merced sweets, 1.00; Early Rose, 1.10@1.25.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 23.00@25.00; mixed feed, 18.50@19.50; rolled barley, 25.00@26.00.

Beans—Pink, 2.65@2.70; Lima, 4.25@4.35; small white, 3.25@3.40; large white, 3.15@3.30.

Various—Green peas, 3@5; string beans, 6@10; tomatoes, 1.75@2.25; summer squash, 1.25@1.50; garlic, 3.

Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.00; common apples, 60; pears, common, 40; fancy, 2.00; persimmons, 25@75.

Eggs—Ranch, 24@26; store, 23@24; eastern, 23@24.

Citrus fruits—Oranges, navels, 1.00@2.25; seedlings, 75@1.00; Mexican limes, 3.50@4.00; common California lemons, 75; fancy, 2.50.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 17@18; dressed turkeys, 20@22; old roosters, 5.50@6.50; young roosters, 6.50@7.50; small broilers, 4.00@4.50; large broilers, 7.00@8.00; fryers, 6.00@7.00; hens, 6.00@7.00; ducks, old, 5.00@6.00; ducks, young, 6.00@7.50; geese, 2.00@2.50; goslings, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, old, 1.25@1.50; pigeons, young, 2.50.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 75@2.50; pineapples, 2.50@3.50.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 34; seconds, 33; fancy dairy, 32; seconds, 30.

Cheese—California cheddar, 14@15; eastern, 16@17; Young America, 15@15½.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Receipts—Flour, quarter sacks, 5963; wheat, centals, 520; barley, centals, 2293; oats, centals, 2645; beans, sacks, 559; corn, centals, 2116; potatoes, sacks, 12,243; onions, sacks, 351; bran, sacks, 686; middlings, sacks, 369; hay, tons, 811; straw, tons, 5; hops, bales, 38; hides, number, 572; wine, gallons, 25,000.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Wheat stronger; May, 1.51; December, 1.28¾. Corn, large yellow, 1.25@1.45. Barley, stronger; May, 1.15⅝. Bran, 18.50@19.00.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 10.—Silver bars, 47⅝; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts—sight, 12½; telegraph, 15.

A Daughter of the Revolution.

De Style: What makes that Venezuelan maid so haughty?

Gumbusta: She's a Daughter of the One Hundred and Twenty-Fifth Revolution.—[New York Sun.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE LOS ANGELES NATIONAL BANK, at Los Angeles, in the State of California, at the close of business, February 6th, 1903.

RESOURCES.		
Loans and discounts		$2,153,597.56
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		7,732.67
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000.00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		150,000.00
Stocks, securities, etc.		52,512.90
Banking-house, furniture, fixtures and safe deposit vaults		178,619.41
Other real estate owned		10,235.10
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 255,992.56	
Due from State banks and bankers	87,158.58	
Due from approved reserve agents	480,424.22	
Internal-revenue stamps	110.31	
Checks and other cash items	14,511.18	
Exchanges for clearing-house	78,287.03	
Notes of other national banks	5,000.00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	305.46	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	436,008.00	
Legal-tender notes	4,000.00	1,391,797.64
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		25,000.00
Total		$4,469,495.28
LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000.00
Surplus fund		100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		122,704.99
National bank notes outstanding		492,100.00
Due to other national banks	$ 108,148.50	
Due to State banks and bankers	179,975.25	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	27,012.18	
Dividends unpaid	20.00	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,714,717.74	
Demand certificates of deposits	51,402.99	
Certified checks	1,588.15	
Cashier's checks outstanding	21,887.78	
United States deposits	47,574.00	
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	102,364.10	3,254,690.29
Total		$4,469,495.28

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

I, W. D. Woolwine, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. D. WOOLWINE,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of February, 1903.

NATHAN P. BUNDY,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

DAN MURPHY,
W. T. McFIE,
W. C. PATTERSON,
Directors.

HOSSACK MURDER CASE.

DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 10.—The second trial of the famous Hossack murder case was begun at Winterset today, where it was taken on a change of venue from Indianola. The defendant, Mrs. Margaret Hossack, who is more than three score years old, was convicted a year ago, of having quarreled with her husband over a division of his estate, and with having killed him by splitting his head open with an axe as he lay asleep. She alleges that he had been murdered by robbers as he lay by her side, though she was not wakened until the assailants had escaped. The Supreme Court ordered a new trial.

MAY PAY SUGAR BOUNTY.

BOISE (Idaho) Feb. 10.—Speaker Hunt today, introduced a bill providing a bounty of one cent a pound on beet sugar manufactured in Idaho during 1903 and 1904.

ENGLAND.

BARE BACKS FOR BLOWS.

English Officers Forced to Endure Flogging.

Shameful System Prevailing in Some Guards Regiments.

Rear-Admiral Cochran Makes Revelation—Great Sensation Caused by It.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Rear-Admiral Basil Cochran, retired, in a letter published by the London Times today, makes astounding revelations regarding the "barbarous system" prevailing among the guards regiments for the punishment of subalterns who are found guilty of social or military offenses.

According to Rear-Admiral Cochran, the colonel of one battalion has been in the habit of handing over offending officers to the senior subaltern. The latter summons a court-martial, at which the attendance of all the subalterns in exacted, and the sentence is almost invariably flogging. This is administered on the bare back, after the removal of all the clothing, and from six to forty blows with a cane are given with such severity that the lower number is sufficient to draw blood. All the officers present, even the most intimate friends of the victim, are compelled to administer their share of blows.

The admiral cites the instance of a young officer who fainted after receiving forty strokes, and he also refers to the case of his own nephew, who is not named, but who clearly is Capt. Leveson-Gower, who, for an unintentional military fault, was tried and flogged. Subsequently, according to Admiral Cochran, his nephew was punished with great severity by Maj.-Gen. Oliphant (formerly commander of the Grenadier Guards) for a petty fault and who, in consequence of continued ill treatment resigned his commission last week.

When Lord Roberts, the commander-in-chief, was informed of these occurrences through relatives, he severely reprimanded Col. Ricardo, commander of the Grenadier Guards, and placed Lieut.-Col. Kinloch of the same regiment on half pay.

That "such a revolting custom" could prevail among officers and gentlemen, or could be submitted to by full-grown men, has caused a very great sensation. The whole subject will be fully aired in Parliament.

INTENSE INDIGNATION.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The letter of Rear-Admiral Cochran is republished throughout the press and has created intense indignation. Demands are made for a full inquiry into the cases referred to, and for a suppression of such disgraceful practices which are held to operate powerfully in the direction of the exclusion of a class of officers which the country needs, and which it so rarely gets.

Rear-Admiral Cochran, in an interview, declares that all his statements can be sworn to. "Those floggings," he said, "have been going on for years, and I hope and trust that this exposure will end them."

BAD MAN'S LIFE ENDED.

Lou Bass, One of Douglas's Tough Citizens, Falls at the Hands of an Arizona Ranger.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 10.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Gov. Brodie received mail advices tonight confirmatory of a dispatch received yesterday, telling briefly of a battle between the Arizona Rangers and outlaws. According to today's news, there was no battle, but a saloon fight in which Lou Bass, employé in the "Cowboy" saloon at Douglas, Ariz., was killed by W. W. Webb, an Arizona Ranger. A stray bullet from Webb's gun wounded McDonald, another ranger, probably mortally. Webb was exonerated by the Coroner's jury.

Several weeks ago the Rangers arrested several desperadoes in the "Cowboy" saloon over the protests of the saloon-keeper. They went after another hard character yesterday, when Bass, a bad man of many scars, interfered, and percipitated an exchange of bullets.

GUILEFUL PORTE.

France Takes Denials of the Mobilization of Troops With a Very Large Grain of Salt.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 10.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The officials here are not disposed to accept the Porte's assurances that Turkey has no intention of mobilizing a large army of troops. When the Turkish denial was brought to the attention of the officials here, who have access to the government's sources of information, the following reply was made:

"We have received similar pacific assurances from Turkish cources, but our own information is positive and specific that orders for the mobilization have been actually issued. This was three days ago, and we are unable to say wherher the execution of the orders is withheld in view of the effect they have produced among the powers, who are seeking to reinforce the Balkans. Our advices further show that the mobilisation would affect 240,000 troops."

The French government's policy appears to be shaping on it advices without reference to the quieting Turkish assurances.

RUSSIA PREPARING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 10.—It is announced in a dispatch from a news agency in St. Petersburg that all the officers of the Russian army reserves have been notified to hold themselves in readiness to rejoin their regiments in twenty-four hours, in the event of mobilization orders being issued. The measure, it is added, appears to be connected with fears of trouble in the Balkans.

INSURANCE FRAUDS.

Gang of Italians Said to Have Cheated Life Companies Out of Hundred Thousand Dollars.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—Between ten and fifteen bodies will be exhumed in Calvary Cemetery, the latter part of this week as a result of discoveries made by Assistant District Attorney Krotel, who, for several weeks has been investigating a serie of swindles by a gang of Italians by which eight different insurance companies have been cheated out of large sums. It is now believed that the losses will aggregate $100,000.

The John Hancock Insurance Company, the Union Central of Cincinnati, the Metropolitan, The Tradesman's, the Provident Life, the Prudential, the New York Life, and several other companies, it is alleged, have been victimized.

Max C. Benisch has been convicted before the New York Justices of Special Sessions of agreeing to have Thomas B. Gavin appointed to the fire department for $400.

YESTERDAY'S HOTEL ARRIVALS.

ANGELUS—W. H. Covell and wife, Hartford, Ct.; R. S. Munger and wife, Birmingham, Ala.; Mrs. Ernest Altis and maid, Miss Altis, J. H. Caperton and wife, Hugh J. Caperton, Louisville, Ky.; Charles J. Hughes, Jr., M. C. Watt, Denver; A. Lautermeister, Kansas City; J. R. Edwards and wife, Santa Rosa; R. S. Maslin, Baltimore; Mrs. J. H. Davenport, Miss N. P. Davenport, Miss M. P. Bacon, Miss S. H. Rogers, Boston; J. W. Foster and wife, Brandon, Wis.; F. Curtis and wife, Miss Georgia, H. Curtis, Chicago; Roswell S. Jones, Denver; Mrs. E. Levy, A. Levy, Seattle; L. Mendenhall and wife, Duluth; L. M. Foltz, Mrs. Foltz and maid, New York; W. A. Mearns, M. L. Burchell, Washington; A. G. Brower, Utica, N. Y.; J. C. Thompson, Salt Lake; A. J. W. Harris, San Francisco; Mrs. W. M. Haynes, Troy, N. Y.; J. H. Van Paalt, The Hague; H. Hawthorn and wife, San Francisco; F. L. Helmer and wife, Chicago; F. H. Lincoln, J. H. Brown and wife, W. J. Richardson and wife, Wellsville, N. Y.; Mrs. E. Heywood, Boston; Mrs. E. Coleman, Troy, O.; C. C. Bundley and wife, Wellsville, N. Y.; Mrs. G. Castel, Chicago; Harold Baker, J. R. Hunt and wife, New York; Dr. M. J. Livquist and wife, Birmingham, Ala.; S. Bruner, Mrs. S. Bruner, Cincinnati; S. M. Kiser, Chicago; Joseph M. Locke, Cincinnati; Sydney Fisher, S. K. Doherty, Ottowa, Can.; A. Beyer, Montreal, Can.; G. Pereire, Paris; D. S. Fero and wife, New York.

VAN NUYS—A. H. Leiten and wife, Minneapolis; J. G. Pontefract, Mrs. Pontefract and child, Miss Ponefract and maid, Mrs. Anna S. Jack, Pittsburgh, Pa.; J. R. Pringle, Paul Cowles, Mrs. Lynx and maid, George Hammer, San Francisco; J. W. Foster and wife, Brandon, Wis.; Mrs. E. J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, Peoria, Ill.; Mrs. C. R. Miller, Mrs. A. Bernard, Clinton W. Starkey and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Squire Garnsley, C. Blakely, Mrs. E. M. Chaunders, New York; Miss Charlotte Bowcretts, Miss Sophia F. Taylor, Bunden Gaylord, Mrs. Eng. Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. William Lund, Ralph N. Mitchell, Mrs. E. W. Heyward, Boston; John H. Kimball, Lowell, Mass.; L. P. Shriver and wife, Chicago; H. J. Shimm and wife, Spokane, Wash.; F. H. Jermyn, Scranton, Pa.; E. A. O'Connor, H. A. Fitzsimmon, Troy, N. Y.; Sterling R. Holt and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Merrill, Miss Miller, Miss Moore, Indianapolis, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Card and wife, R. N. Baylis, Harry J. Baylis, Chicago; William S. Keeler, Morristown, Pa.; Mrs. George Castle, Mrs. Charles Pike, Chicago; J. H. Brown and wife, Clarence A. Farmen and wife, Mr. Richardson and wife, Wellsville, N. Y.; Mrs. George E. Coleman, Troy, N. Y.; Myron L. Palmer and wife, Wellsville; S. Goodwin and wife, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gamong, St. Stephen, Can.; J. Dittenhoffer and wife, J. Wertheimer and wife, J. Eisinger, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Nolan, St. Paul; William Walter Waring and Lady Clementine Waring, London; E. P. Stoll and wife, Ashtabula, O.; Mrs. F. M. Dunwoody, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Cullin, Oakland; Miss Askew, Washington, D. C.

WESTMINSTER—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols, Denver; J. Clyde Power, wife and child, Indianapolis; S. Atlee and wife, Ft. Madison, Iowa; George L. Misey and wife, Wisconsin; Mrs. C. B. Gilbert, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Phillips, Olympia, Wis.; Mrs. Anna S. Jack, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mrs. E. J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Davis, Peoria, Ill.; George E. Somers and wife, Bridgeport, Ct.; Noah Seaman, wife and daughter, Oyster Bay, L. I.; R. C. Edwards, Grenada, Miss.; H. G. Burrell, E. B. Fries, Philadelphia; James Hoy, U. S. N., Mrs. James Hoy, Miss Nora Hoy, Washington, D. C.; R. C. Ackley, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Fairchild, New York; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bennett, Freehold, N. J.; W. P. Story, Bozeman, Mont.; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wood, Boston; George Warren and wife, New York; F. B. Crocker, Minneapolis; William S. Keeler, Norristown, Pa.; Ralph H. Mitchell, Boston; Miss Nunan, Miss Doherty, San Francisco; A. R. Brodbeck and wife, Estelle Brodbeck, Mary Brodbeck, Viola Brodbeck, Hanover, Pa.; H. B. Dibell, Duluth, Minn.; Alex McDermott and wife, Victoria, B. C.; C. W. Praesent, Chicago; F. A. Judd, Saginaw, Mich.; Miss Alice Revell, John Revell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burns, Chicago; Miss Kate Dickinson, Ashmont, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Greene, H. P. Bristol, Denver; Walter M. Cabot, Boston; John H. Onalman and wife, Saginaw, Mich.; A. J. Marks and wife, Chicago.

VAN NUYS BROADWAY—Mrs. J. N. Wilson, P. I. Pritchard, John N. Gay, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Buckley, San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kellogg, New York; Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Armour, M. G. Siddall, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Stowell, Miss Stowell, Ithaca, N. Y.; Henry W. Deckham, Manchester, N. H.; F. S. Noble, Bakersfield; Mrs. George Walterhouse, Ypsilanti, Mich.; John McKane, Rossland, N. C.

NADEAU—John B. Bever, Sacramento; F. B. Naylor, San Diego; E. W. McGraw, L. S. Simmons, A. W. Ottenheimer, Ben Levy, San Francisco; W. E. Woodcock, St. Paul, Minn.; S. H. Bruce, Charles S. Untermeyer, David Stark, New York; John A. Stein, East Toledo, O.; Gordon C. Fuller, Jamestown, N. Y.; A. L. Brown, Columbus, O.; C. E. Stowell, Des Moines, Iowa; Hezel Berry, San Luis Obispo; Thomas G. Hill, Nashville, Tenn.; Ross E. Hibler, Seattle; J. F. Darling, Kansas City; H. R. Williams, Pittsburgh, Pa.; J. C. Shaylor, Yuma; J. F. Cerf, Ventura.

NATICK HOUSE—H. M. Hughes, Clifford, N. D.; J. Driskell, Oro Grande; H. Larson, Golconda, Nev.; C. Marlburn, Fresno; J. R. Dodson, Butte, Mont.; W. McCarty, J. Graham, Dickerson, N. D.; J. R. Thompson, Cincinnati; R. B. Waugh, Burford; M. Rosenquist, Chicago; H. Brackman, Victoria, B. C.; M. Miller and wife, Mrs. M. J. Moore, Iola, Kan.; William Still, Calexico; O. T. Ashburn, H. Wood, Patagonia, Ariz.; C. F. Shepherd, Ashland; E. W. Reach, Chicago; Charles Trumble and wife, Papillion; C. A. Blowdin, Boston; H. H. Henry, Homestead, Pa.; E. A. Bowen and wife, Upland; W. F. Hollenbeck, Stockton; E. J. Varney, Baker City; D. W. Starr and wife, Raymond, Ill.; S. J. Grash, Prescott, Ariz.; J. Watkins and wife, Upland; L. Goodnow, Iowa; A. W. Sutton, Benson; J. J. Brock, Boston; S. A. Judd, Nome; W. O. Appleby, J. M. Henry, Strawberry, Iowa; T. Botwin and family, Stockton; Charles H. Godfrey and wife, Marion, O.; G. T. Watson, Pilot Mound; A. A. Davis and wife, Chicago; N. W. Culbertson, Upland; R. G. White, Spokane, Wash.

ROSSLYN—L. Wallingford, W. A. Findley, San Francisco; R. L. Evans and wife, Beaumont, Tex.; U. J. Clarke and wife, Miss Edith Clarke, Hot Springs; George Killoper, Fred Fairman, Chicago; W. Wisney, San Francisco; John Waltman, Bethlehem, Pa.; W. B. Sargent, New York; S. B. Christy, Phoenix; J. Green, Salt Lake; M. Anderson and wife, E. Bradley and wife, Williville, N. Y.; B. B. Bradley and wife, Chicago; A. H. Harper, Davenport; S. S. Wilman, Philadelphia.

RAMONA—M. L. McKittrick, Winnipeg, Can.; J. A. Perrin, Evanston, Wyo.; J. Shull, Kansas City; N. Orveirot, Chicago; H. A. Fowler, Little Rock, Ark.; D. W. Coyle, St. Louis; William Schoemaker, Lobster; Miss Ellen Mace Chesley, San Diego; J. C. Powers and wife, Miss Mledud Powers, Indianapolis; L. C. Flighman, Buffalo, N. Y.; F. J. Jennings, San Diego; A. H. Jennings, Kansas City; Frank Lyman, Columbus, O.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

TUESDAY, February 10, 1903.

J W Myers and Mary L Myers to Jakobina Zerell, lot 3, Myers subdivision, $30.

F N Myers and Mary A Myers to Jacobina Zerell, lot 3, Myers subdivision, $10.

Frank C Foster to C L Heartwell, lots 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43 and 44, Park tract, $400.

John Herman and Ida M Herman to Joseph Burwell, lot 2, John Herman tract, $10.

Uriah Zimmerman and Harriet E Zimmerman to William H Reider and Mattie De Tar Reider, lot 79, Josefa subdivision, $2500.

Matilda Barclay Merrifield and J A Merrifield to Joseph L Murphey, lot 20, subdivision of block 22½, O S, $10.

Rosalie Allen and E Templer Allen to Agnes Hill, lot D, block 122, Santa Monica, $10.

Fred W Marshall and Florence N Marshall to George H Doane, lot 42 and part lot 43, Angelus Vista tract, $1175.

Clinton Norcross to W M Avis, lot 19, block 2, Strong & Dickinson's subdivision No 2, $10.

Lester L Robinson to C A Kunon, agreement to convey lot 17, block 34, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract, $400.

C A Kunon to Clara W Bunker, assignment of above.

Lester L Robinson to Clara W Bunker, lot 17, block 34, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract, $10.

W G Blewett and Lucia L Blewett to William H Arehart, part lot 11, block 47, Highland Park tract, $10.

Charles E Walker, Peter R Ruth, Jessie K Ruth and Lilian Law Walker to L S Griswold, lot 14, Blanchard's resubdivision, $2250.

Mary A Hazzard to George L Hazzard, reconveyance of trust property.

Union Trust and Realty Company to Charles Victor Hall, reconveyance of lot 10, block 15, C V Hall tract.

Charles V Hall and Josephine S Hall to C Ganahl, lot 10, block 15, C V Hall tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Sarah Furber, lot 9, townsite of Avrey, $10.

Same to G J Eustace, lot 1, same, $10.

Francis N Wilkinson and Mary W Wilkinson to Austin Cole, lot 6, Willard tract, $10.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Robert H Wilkinson, reconveyance of lots 16 and 17, block L, Bonnie Brae tract.

Robert H Wilkinson and Jessie M Wilkinson to Austin Cole, lots 16 and 17, block L, Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

Will W Beach to Lillian Smith, lot 7, block 12, lot 10, block 18, Alosta, $20.

Charles C Hurd and Henry M Hurd to John Wilbur Ross Grogan, agreement to convey lot 11, block B, Ninth-street tract extension, $484.

James Lacey and Rebecca Kate Lacey to Mary E McCollough, lot 33, block 8, Park tract, $1850.

Tessie Dean to L C Brand, part rancho Providencia and Scott tract, marked March 56, A, $10.

J C Cribb and Jennie C Cribb to I D Kroesen, lot 4, block I, Central Park Front tract, $10.

L R Garrett to and from A C Freeman, agreement as to the erection of a residence upon part block A, Inglewood, and as to conveyance of same.

Stephen German and Mary E German to Adam Vogt, part lot 19, block 27, California Co-operative Colony tract, $1525.

William O Churchill and Sarah C Churchill to D M Brewer, lot 18, O'Neill Place, $10.

E A Worrell and Lucretia Worrell to Mary Taylor, lot 13, Bell & Macomber tract, $10.

Isaac Burke to D M Brewer, lot 17, O'Neill Place, $10.

Anna M Johnson, Peter Johnson, R V Hensley and W A Hensley to Winnall T Dalton, part lot 22, J G McDonald tract, $10.

B F Ball and Mary Ball to Jane Harden, portion block L, Painter & Ball tract, $10.

G M Griffith and Mary Griffith to Octavius Thomas Griffith, lot 15, block 4, Oowney tract, $10.

Robert M Hale to Charles Goodwin and Arthur K Goodwin, part lots 10 and 9, block 2, Hellman's Sixteenth-street subdivision, $10.

A R Maines to Dudley D Duncan, agreement to convey lots 9 and 10, block E, Estella tract, $650.

Calvin Rice and Cordelia A Rice to Nelson Anderson, lot 15, block 143, Redondo Beach, $10.

The Home Investment Building and Loan Association to Bridget Foley, lot 21 and part lot 20, block A, Menlo Park, $10.

Mary Fleming Ripley to Henry D Henderson and Sarah Henderson, agreement to convey lot 26, block 2, Jefferson-street tract, $500.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Carrie L Winans, lot 11, block 29, Hermosa Beach addition No 1, $10.

Estate of James Brady, deceased, decree distributing to Ann E Brady, Edward J Brady, Thomas F Brady, William P Brady, Mary Agnes Ratcliff and Annie McDonald, cash and personal property; lot 9, block 111, Long Beach; lots 22 and 24, block 90, Long Beach, part section 7, 4 S 11; lots 11 and 91, May tract.

John Verhoeven and Maria E Verhoeven to William L Erb, part lot 6, block 8, Los Angeles Homestead tract, $10.

Mrs L E Bolton and Irvin T Bolton to H M Wheeler, lot 9, block 35, First Addition to Hermosa Beach, $275.

Estate of William B Nicholson, deceased, decree distributing to William H Hall lot 30, block B, West Los Angeles; all other property described or not; Mary P Nicholson, Mrs Crandell and Margaret J Frick, George Wright and Charles Wright.

Truman G Palmer, Virginial Palmer, Elias C Chapin and Ida M Chapin to Teresa L Linton, lots 9 and 10, block 29, Tierra Bonita, $100.

R H Gilman and Elizabeth H Gilman to David L Wright, lot 4, block E, Maxon's subdivision, $1000.

John J Charnock to W B Thompson, lots 8 and 9, block D, Soto-street tract, $10.

Viola B Haskell and Eben J Haskell to Mrs Edith Abel, lot 4, H H Hillier's subdivision, $650.

Abbot Kinney, A R Fraser, G M Jones and H R Gage to Emma Griffiths, lot 23, block 2, Crescent Bay tract, $420.

Marion T Nichols and C L Nichols to Arthur E Keyes and Nellie Keyes, lot 34, block C, Potter's Woodlawn, $10.

S T Packwood and M F Packwood to Charles C Easton, lots 2, 3 and 6, block T, Glendora, $500.

Ralph Rogers to Charles S Hoag, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 1, Highland Park addition, $350.

Ralph Rogers to Mary C Jennings, lots 1 and 2, block 6, Oak Hill Park tract, $600.

Albert Mercer and Wacil R Mercer to A B Miner, lot 10, block C, Brown & Adams' subdivision, $10.

Rusk Harris and Alice Harris to Robert Syrett, lot 2, block 35, California Co-operative Colony tract, $250.

Regina Marco and Charles Marco to Theophile C Naud, lots 1, 2, 17 and 13, Spring tract, $5000.

John Mulherron to Effie Mulherron, lots 1, 2 and 3, Hellman tract, gift.

Emeline Augusta Greene and Henry M Greene to Mary V Cortelyou, lot 24 and part lot 25, block 55, Ralph Rogers subdivision, $10.

Charlotte A Whitridge to Mary V Cortelyou, lot 26 and part lot 25, block 55, Ralph Rogers subdivision, $10.

May S French, formerly May S Cates, and P L French to Robert M Teague, undivided one-half of lots 285 and 287, San Dimas, $100.

J J Harshman and Jennie A Harshman to R H Wilson, lots 1 to 11, and part lot 12, block 26, Compton, $600.

F H Redpath to John F Lloyd, lot 11, block D, Menlo Park, $10.

Samuel A Wayne and Emma A Wayne to M Berry, part Rancho Santa Gertrudes, $10.

M Berry to Emma A Wayne, lot 7 and part lot 6, block 1, Bennett tract, $10.

M O Washington to John Krauczlunas, Mary Krauczlunas and Peter Krauczlunas, agreement to convey lot 4, block E, McGarry tract, $1950.

Seaside Water Company and Broadway Bank and Trust Company to J B Losee, lots 11, 13 and 15, block 7, Long Beach, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to Mrs C W Myers, lot 14, block 13, Hermosa Beach, $10.

T M Hill and Elizabeth Hill to Amanda C Ozment, lot 18, block 11, Urmston tract, $10.

John Gibler and Sarah E Gibler to Elmer B Radabaugh and Ida L Radabaugh, lots 16 and 17, Vineyard tract, $1200.

Hollywood Cemetery Association and California Bank, trustee, to Willard L Fales, lots 227 and 228, section 12, Hollywood Cemetery, $272.

Hollywood Cemetery Association to same, agreement to care for the same, $100.

Mary J Drew and W H Drew to Agnes N Smith, part lot 27, Dunnigan tract, $1500.

Bates Estate Company to Cora C Hollister, part lots 76 and 77, Miller & Herritt's subdivision, $1500.

Nellie Hill and J A Hill to Carrie B Conger, lot 35, Blanchard's resubdivision, $10.

S D Reynolds and Arrabelle Reynolds to Marie R Kennedy, lot 39, Record's subdivision, $200.

W E Tyler and Edna M Tyler to Jennie M Rice, part lot 13, block C, Central Beach tract, $10.

Cora N Whiteside to W L Carter, lot 330, block F, Montana tract, $10.

Seth C Arnold and Jennie W Arnold to F J Decker, part block K, Painter & Ball tract, $10.

Amanda H Shepherd to Eliza J Madden, lot 5, block C, Barrett Villa tract.

Mary H Banning to Belle Stillwell, lots 8, 9 and 12, Banner tract, $250.

W Wilfred Benedict and Eva P Benedict to Eduljee Sorabjee, lot 11, S A Tuttle's subdivision, $800.

Mary E Gifford and David Gifford to Jerome E Williams, lot 23, W G Benedict & Co's subdivision, $1400.

Alexander C Murphy to Benjamin E Lower, part lot 68, Lankershim Ranch Land and Water Company's subdivision, $1000.

Estate of William H Hammond, deceased, order assigning Emma L Hammond lots 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 and 16, block 34, Glendale.

Alida Askay to Charles F Carey, lots 96 and 98, Agricultural Park lots, $10.

William H Grimm and Susan B Griffin to Los Angeles Building Company, lot 22, block 5, C V Hall tract, $5.

Minnie Catherine Miltmore to Los Angeles Building Company, lot in West Los Angeles at southeast corner McClintock avenue and Forty-first street, $10.

Malmey S Cowden and William H Cowden to Cynthia L Sterling, lot 14, block 8, Electric Railway Homestead Association tract.

Title Insurance and Trust Company to Kate Travis, reconveyance of trust property.

J V Peacock to Emma B Peacock, lot 11, block A, Cameron tract, $10.

Mr Auguste Torreano (Toriano) to Barthelemy and Marie Torreano, all interest in estate of Torreano Dominique, deceased, of his uncle, Joby Etienne, late Pierre, deceased.

Marie and Barthelemy Torreano (Toriano) to Mr Auguste Torreano, all interest in estate of Joly Etienne, deceased, especially that block of buildings constructed of wood in the city of Los Angeles.

Gardner W Waterhouse and Marian W Cousens, heirs of Oliver A Waterhouse, deceased, to Elizabeth A Waterhouse, all interest in estate of Oliver A Waterhouse, deceased.

B W Gearhart, Martha M Gearhart, F G Belcher, Minnie E Belcher, Margaret P Meredith and Thomas Meredith to Gebhart-Belcher Company, lots 18, 19, 20 and 21, block 11, Pasadena subdivision, Monrovia, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land and Water Company to A C Weeks, lots 4 and 5, block 1; lots 4 and 5, block 9, Hemosa Beach, $10.

F M Zimmerman and Maggie C Zimmerman to Hebe M Durkee, part lot 3, John Allen's subdivision, $700.

Mrs H T Griffith and Elijah Griffith to Ray I Perry, part lot 78, L H Michener's subdivision, $10.

Charles E Tebbetts and Imelda A Tebbets to Ray I Perry, lot 79 and part lot 80, L H Michener's subdivision, $660.

Martha L Staats and Henry T Staats to Mrs Elen M Todell, lot 4, block N, Painter & Ball tract, $1100.

Mrs L A Williams to Levi Eberman, George Schultz, Louisa S Albough, A E Bonman and Thurman J Stevis, trustees of Brethren Church of Lordsburg, part lots 20, 21 and 22, block 50, Lordsburg, $10.

Ralph Rogers to Howard Leslie Rogers, lots 17, 18 and 21, Mineral Park tract, $2000.

W L Gaines to Jacob B Mershon, agreement to convey part lot 67, Alamitos tract, $225.

Edward F Lambert and Angeline E Lambert to George B Hunnicutt, lot 5, J C Rust's subdivision, $420.

Harry W Davis to Jeannette Davis, lot 17, Harbor View subdivision of block 31, San Pedro, $10.

Abraham Curtis and Jennie E Curtis to P F Schumacher, trustee for Mary A Preuss, renewal of trust deed (1171-297.)

Ada A Bartels, formerly Ada A Bram, to B W Bartels, part of lot 5, block 2½, Ord's survey, $10.

Ada A Bartels, formerly Ada A Bram, to B W Bartels, part lot 1, block 59, Hancock's survey; part lot 4, block H, of subdivision of lot 5, block 60, Hancock's survey, $1500.

Ada A Bartels, formerly Ada A Bram, to B W Bartels, lots 5 and 6, McCarthy Company Orchard tract, $500.

Same to same, part lot 2, estate of Mary Newman, $10.

W T S Hammond and Lizzie B Hammond to Robert H Wilkinson, lot 8 and part lot 9, Belgravia, $10.

Total, $37,891.

COASTING PARTY HURT.

LEADVILLE (Colo.) Feb. 10.—A bobsled loaded with young people ran into a Colorado and Southern switch engine tonight, seriously injuring six people. The sled was racing down a steep hill and had almost reached the railroad crossing when the switch engine rounded a curve. It was too late to stop the sled, and it plunged into the drive wheels of the locomotive. William Tappin had his hip broken and Charles Holden and Alfred Cully had their backs broken and are not expected to live. Two other members of the party are severely bruised.

DEPUTY CONSTABLE JAILED.

Deputy Constable O'Hara of Pasadena was arrested this morning and a charge of drunkenness placed against him. O'Hara and several Pasadena men were making the rounds of the saloons, and one of them, Harry Fluke, of "blind pig" notoriety, claims the officer took a shot at him, and that he will prosecute him on the charge of assault to commit murder. Others say it was accidental. Fluke had a deputy constable star pinned to the seat of his trousers when he arrived at the Police Station. The party had too much "booze."

Treasury Department.

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

WASHINGTON (D. C.) Dec. 19, 1902.

WHEREAS, BY SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "The American National Bank of Los Angeles," in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, and State of California, has complied with all the provisions of the statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of banking;

Now, therefore, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The American National Bank of Los Angeles," in the city of Los Angeles, in the county of Los Angeles, and State of California, is authorized to commence the business of banking, as provided in section 5169 of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office this 19th day of December, 1902.

[Signed] T. P. KANE,
Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency.
[Seal] No. 6541.

Los Angeles County: Cities and Suburban Places.

[NEWS REORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

PASADENA BROKERS NOT SIGN DEALERS.

REAL ESTATE MEN WILL HOLD A MEETING TOMORROW.

"For Sale" Boards on Lots Must Come Down—Society Women Play Cards for Charity—Electric Franchise Matter Cleed Up.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 36 South Raymond avenue, Feb. 11.—Real estate men are taking much interest in the project of pulling down all the "for sale" signs in the city. They are to hold a meeting at the Board of Trade rooms on Thursday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock, to see what can be done in the matter. The trouble has been that while most of the dealers are willing to leave the lots undecorated with unsightly signs, a few persist in doing it, and the others feel that they are not getting a fair deal. Either all must come out or none.

Petitions have been circulated among the dealers, many of whom signed up, agreeing not to place any sort of signs on lots that are for sale. The idea of Thursday's meeting is to get everybody to sign up. Let the signs be on posts, and not on the ground, say the real sellers.

A few of the real estate men are pretty warm over the question, and say that if they cannot get everybody to agree on taking down the boards, they will remove their advertisements from the papers and elsewhere, and devote the property they have to sell exclusively for advertising purposes.

Recently the Board of Trade adopted a resolution condemning the practice of placing "for sale" signs, or signs of any description, calling attention to the real estate for sale, of real estate agents in Pasadena and surrounding country, and urgently requesting every agency and agent to remove them. Such an opportunity might be given all real estate dealers to ratify the board's action, the meeting to be held tomorrow was recommended.

EUCHRE FOR CHARITY.

The large progressive euchre party which was given yesterday afternoon for the benefit of the new Children's Home, and which was held through the courtesy of Col. G. G. Green and Manager I. B. Holmes in the west building of the hotel, was an unqualified success, both socially, artistically and financially. Tables were arranged for 168 guests, and all of Pasadena's elite were there. There were three groups of pretty almost distinctive card parties in the green parlor, where prizes were placed; one in the [illegible] and still another in the [illegible] of Mrs. J. H. Holmes, assisted by Mrs. Worthington and others in the green parlor. The [illegible] assisted by Miss Holmes, in the [illegible]-room, and Mrs. I. B. Holmes, assisted by Mrs. Harry C. Bowland, in the third [illegible]. The prizes, which were valuable, and the most part contributed by the [illegible]ents. In the green room [illegible] won a beautiful vase, [illegible] Charlotte Thomas; Mrs. [illegible] second, a painting given by [illegible] B. Farr; Miss Stratton, [illegible] silk bag, given by Mrs. [illegible]ning; Mrs. Perkins, fourth, [illegible] jar, given by Mrs. Al[illegible] Wigwam. The lone hands [illegible] by Miss Morgan, first, a silver [illegible] by Collis, Miss Higgins [illegible] box of candy, given by Mc[illegible]

[illegible]-room Miss Cora Auten [illegible] prize, a cloisonne vase, [illegible] G. T. Marsh; Mrs. E. C. [illegible], a bronze vase, given by [illegible]; the third prize, Mrs. [illegible] won, a painting of Cherokee, given by Miss Marie John[illegible] hand was won by Mrs. [illegible] and was a hand-painted [illegible] given by Miss Stratton. [illegible] room the first prize [illegible] by Mrs. H. W. Box, a rare [illegible], given by Gayin Leon[illegible], Mrs. Stevens won a beau[illegible], given by Miss Butts; [illegible] Pauline Lutz won a lovely [illegible] by Victor Marsh; Mrs. J. [illegible] won the lone-hand prize, [illegible] Satsuma jar, given by J. [illegible]

[illegible] packs of cards used in [illegible] were furnished by Le Roy [illegible] light refreshments by [illegible] and there were practically [illegible] It is known that at least [illegible] sold, and as there have been [illegible] donations, it is hoped the [illegible] approximate $200. To Mrs. [illegible], Miss Charlotte Thomas [illegible] Green assistants, and to [illegible] P. Warden is due primarily [illegible] of the affair, but the gen[illegible] displayed was great, and [illegible] of all participating is [illegible]

[illegible]CIL BUSINESS.

[illegible]ell-Johnston yesterday [illegible] acceptance of his elec[illegible] franchise with the City [illegible] accompanied by a $10,000 [illegible]

[illegible] received a communica[illegible] Supervisor Longdon [illegible] as a result of build[illegible] through the sewer [illegible] HiSterto ran across [illegible] will be run off into [illegible] which interferes with [illegible] Penal Code that the [illegible] may be held responsible [illegible] to the Sewer Farm [illegible] City Engineer. Ma[illegible] was declared a boule[illegible]

[illegible]F NEWS.

[illegible] of Harry Fluke of [illegible]na Social Club broke [illegible]ck, and now its [illegible] closed tighter than [illegible] officials say they [illegible]ther strong cases [illegible] if necessary.

[illegible] Hospital Association [illegible] drawing plans for the [illegible] maternity-ward addi[illegible]. This step is made [illegible] generosity of Mrs. [illegible], who has supple[illegible] of $5000, made several [illegible] an assurance that if [illegible] will go ahead with the [illegible] see that the balance, [illegible] raised when she returns [illegible]

[illegible]ksworth and Miss Alice [illegible] former vocalist and the [illegible] give a pleasing recital [illegible] at Hotel Green. Selec[illegible] Goldbert and Schumann [illegible]. Another recital will be [illegible] place March 27.

[illegible] Lee, accused of [illegible] obstruction on [illegible], was found not guilty [illegible] Justice Klamroth's court [illegible] he proved that he did [illegible]

[illegible] has been raised to provide a home for Aunt Sylvia Nichols, the aged colored woman.

Dr. Kim will lecture at the Universalist Church next Monday afternoon.

Furnished houses to rent for season or year. Bruce-Strafford Realty Co., 26 S. Raymond.

Pictures framed. Wadsworth, 85 E. Colorado.

Blue Jay half-hose are hole-proof, three pair for $1. Heinz Bros.

Valentine cakes at McCament's.

Pasadena ladies are invited to visit the food-product exhibit of Bishop & Co., at 216 West Third street, Los Angeles. Bishop's soups, baked beans, jellies and other dainties are served free.

Warmest tourist resort in California, Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.

SANTA CATALINA ISLAND.

WORLD'S MODEL SHEEP RANCH.

AVALON, Feb. 10.—The Banning Company, through the Banning Wool Company, has determined to make of Santa Catalina Island the model sheep ranch of the world. A carload of fence posts as a starter has been received. The company will subdivide the entire island into lots of large and smaller size, which will make it possible to round up every sheep and goat on the island. Now, sheepshearing is a haphazard affair and hundreds of sheep escape the shearers every year, owing to the ruggedness of the ground and the vast territory over which they can roam. There are large tracts of the island so rough and broken that it is impossible to get the sheep out, and they are only caught by means of traps, which are built about water holes. The work of fencing has already been begun, under the supervision of F. H. Lowe, and two lots of 2000 and 7000 acres respectively have been inclosed in the vicinity of Middle Ranch.

In connection with this fencing proposition the company has set apart a game preserve, which will be securely fenced off from the inclosures containing the sheep, and all the goats on the island will be turned into this preserve and kept there. This preserve includes a tract thirteen miles long, with an average width of one and one-half miles, and extends from the easterly point of the island along the southerly shore to Little Harbor, embracing the whole east end as far as Avalon. Here the hunters will be turned loose.

YOUNGEST RAILROAD DIRECTOR.

Among the recent visitors to Catalina is L. R. Skinner of Valparaiso, Ind., who enjoys the distinction of being the youngest railway director in the United States. He is but 28 years of age, and beside being one of the directors of the Grand Trunk Railway is vice-president of the Valparaiso National Bank.

Warmest tourist resort in California, Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica.

GOPHER HOLE BREAKS LA VERNE RESERVOIR.

FLOOD RUSHES OVER THE RANCH OF H. C. WITMER.

Two Million Gallons of Water Turned Loose Last Evening—Pours Down Hillside and Road and Inundates Many Acres.

LORDSBURG, Feb. 10.—Just a despised little gopher caused a flood of some proportions at La Verne this evening. Two million gallons of water were emptied from the reservoir on the ranch of H. C. Witmer, the Los Angeles banker. Several hundred acres of land were inundated and the roads mired.

The reservoir is located at a considerable elevation, the earthen banks being about twenty feet high and not cemented. The gopher hole extended through the side at a point near the bottom, and when the water first found an outlet there the flow was scarcely more than a trickle. But the heavy pressure of the body of water above caused the outlet to enlarge with great rapidity.

This evening the undermined bank caved in and the great volume of water bounded unrestrained down the hillside. The water took a course down the road to the "grand show" orange orchard of M. L. Sparks, but there banks had been erected against winter floods, and the flow in this direction was diverted into the storm-water channels. On other sides also the water flowed off without inflicting damage.

"SPIONKOP" SOLD.

Elias Finck has sold his 160-acre ranch on the hills above La Vergne to W. A. Mauck, recently from Colorado. Mr. Finck has resided on the place nearly twenty years, and while formerly known as Mt. Olivet, it has in recent years been known as Spionkop. Finck will leave in a few days for Arizona.

Mrs. Allen of New York is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. A. Brown, at the Methodist parsonage.

J. S. Billheimer left this morning for Indiana on a visit to his father.

Mrs. Gunn of Winnipeg, Manitoba, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rutherford, at Blink Bonnie Heights, San Dimas.

SANTA MONICA.

LARGE CROP OF BUYERS.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 10.—There has been a rather large number of sales of Santa Monica real estate within the past few weeks. A good many of the properties purchased are vacant lots, but the house-and-lot transfers have also been numerous.

J. T. Kiggins and family have removed to No. 1039 West Eighteenth street, Los Angeles.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.W.C.A. is arranging to give a supper for the benefit of the piano fund at No. 345 Third street Thursday evening.

B. R. Smith of Petersburg, Ky., a cousin of Misses Alice and Effie Mosse, is in Santa Monica for a brief visit.

Louis Mesmer of Washington, D. C., Mrs. L. P. Crawford of Pasadena, Miss M. Doherty of San José, Miss F. Nunan of San Francisco and Mr. and Mrs. R. Brown of Kansas City are staying at the Arcadia.

KERN COUNTY.

OIL WRECK DELAYS TRAFFIC.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 10.—A Southern Pacific oil car jumped the track between Tunnels 3 and 4 near Bealville at 6 o'clock this evening. The wreck was extremely difficult to handle and caused a delay to traffic of seven hours.

LOW-PRICED FRANCHISE AT LONG BEACH.

TELEPHONE PRIVILEGE SOLD FOR SMALL SUM.

Successful Bidder Claims to Represent Independent Concern—City Trustees Agree to Give Three Thousand Dollars Yearly for Carnegie Library Support.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 10.—J. C. Brainerd of Pasadena secured the telephone franchise offered for sale by the City Trustees last night for the munificent sum of $300. His principal opponent was C. P. Colburn, who is the head of the company, making application to have the franchise sold. Brainard's first bid was $200, and it was raised by Colburn to $220, the required 10 per cent. Another interchange followed, but when Brainard jumped to $300, the fight was off. The fortunate bidder was seen when the franchise had been formally declared to be his, but refused to be interviewed. He would only state he was representing an independent company intending to put in a modern plant at once and having no association with the Sunset company. It is feared here the last-named corporation may show up in the deal before all is completed. Report has it that Colburn will apply for another franchise, but the Council will hardly grant the application of a man who would not pay more than $300 for so valuable a right.

LIBRARY MAINTENANCE.

The City Trustees agreed, at their meeting last night, to give $3000 yearly for the support of the City Library if Andrew Carnegie could be induced to put up the building. Mr. Carnegie has had this place under consideration for some time, and one of the questions asked by him of the library board was how much would be pledged in support of the institution. Having noticed that he seems to expect about 10 per cent. of his gift in the way of an annual contribution, and feeling that $30,000 would be about right for this city, the sum named was pledged. A movement is on foot to secure the park as a site for the new building in case the gift is made and it is generally agreed that it could have no prettier setting.

SEASIDE WHIFFS.

The Sons of Veterans gave an entertainment in the Tabernacle last night which was well attended. Most of the evening was taken up with moving pictures, well presented. In addition there was some very pretty dancing by Sam Fetterman and his little sister, Millie, and an excellent drill by the camp.

N. C. Nicklaus, an old man, living in a shack near Jessie avenue and the Anaheim road, locked himself in several days since and steadfastly refused to allow anyone to see him. The neighbors became alarmed this morning and sent for officers. They pretended to be doctors with medicine, but the old man ordered them off the place. As soon as the Health Officer returns to the city, the door will be forced and his case investigated.

Seth Applegate, the civil-war veteran, who was stricken with paralysis yesterday, died this morning. The members of the local G.A.R. have taken charge of the body and will bury him tomorrow.

An engineering force is busy laying out the line of the Pacific Electric which is to connect the city with the new suburb which the Alamitos Land and Water Company is planning. According to the stakes, the track will run east on Ocean avenue until it passes Alamitos Park, when it will swing out to the bluff and follow the new boulevard to Devil's Gate. This will give the road several miles of track along the ocean front and will make a delightful ride for their patrons. It is thought here the new line will be the start of the road to Santa Ana by way of Pacific City and Newport, of which so much has been said but nothing definite can be learned from the engineer in charge.

Miss Bettie Smith, principal of the Alamitos schools, has handed in her resignation, to take effect in thirty days.

Mrs. Nettie Stearns is visiting friends in Pasadena.

Mrs. H. C Foote of Santa Ana is visiting her son, F. C. Foote, of this place.

Mrs. Edna Gully of Corona is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Sovereign, and will remain during the illness of her father.

L. L. Shaw, postmaster, and E. S. Wallace, editor of the Herald, both of Santa Ana, were Long Beach visitors today.

Special low weekly rates at Hotel Redondo, Redondo Beach.

AZUSA.

PASSING OF A PIONEER.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

AZUSA, Feb. 10.—William J. Dougherty died today at the home of his brother-in-law, J. C. Preston of Azusa. Mr. Dougherty was one of the pioneer settlers in the Azusa Valley, having located here thirty years ago and made his home here ever since, with the exception of the past two years, which he spent on a ranch near Hynes. He was a brother of Mrs. J. C. Preston and John L. Dougherty of Azusa, and had a wide circle of friends throughout the county.

H. M. Hammett, who has been visiting friends in the valley two weeks, left for his home in Inyo county today, going by wagon.

Thomas H. Knapp has returned from a six weeks' visit at his old home in Carroll county, Ill.

The auction sale of the real estate belonging to the Maj. Bonebrake estate, which is advertised for the 21st, is attracting attention. The property consists of valuable orange and lemon orchards, and a list of unimproved city lots.

POMONA.

CONTRACTOR HURT.

POMONA, Feb. 10.—Contractor A. N. Sanborn met with a serious accident this morning. Falling from the top of the new block being built for Stone Bros. He was moving a wheelbarrow upon a "lift" used in carrying brick when the lift gave way and carried the contractor half headlong to the ground. His ankle is broken and it is feared that his back is severely injured, beside his whole system being severely shocked.

CITY IMPROVEMENTS.

The City Trustees met last night and passed the bond resolutions prepared by the City Attorney providing $30,000 for park purposes and $30,000 for a grade school building and an election will be called. It is not possible to commence on the street work until the specifications for the gutter work are obtained from City Engineer Sanders. These details are being impatiently awaited by the trustees.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

George F. Ferris has received news of the death of his father, Oscar Ferris, in New York. The deceased had been in poor health for some time.

Hoard & McFarland have sold their store to H. A. and E. D. Baker.

The funeral of the late Charles H. Cothcart was held yesterday afternoon at the family home on San Antonio avenue, Rev. C. D. Williamson officiating.

A burglar made a wholesale raid on the dental offices on Second street last night and secured $200 worth of gold leaf, gold shavings and plates from the offices of Drs. H. M. Jones, I. F. Dillman, C. V. Doolittle and E. H. Morrison. Dr. J. E. McGowan, whose office is at his house on Garey avenue, suffered no loss. No clew to the identity of the thief has been found. He is evidently a professional in his line of business.

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DAZZLER ON A MOUNTAIN.

Strange Flashes on Heights Near Claremont Cause Much Wonder.

CLAREMONT, Feb. 10.—Half way up the side of the mountains north of town a strange light has shone the past few days and caused much wonder here. It is a dazzling spectacle, sometimes flashing, and reached its maximum brilliancy at 10:50 o'clock in the morning yesterday and today.

The mysterious beacon is seen but a few minutes, but its fiery brightness has attracted general attention in this vicinity, and there is a wide range of speculation as to its cause. The only plausible theory advanced is that it is the reflection of the sun's rays from a waterfall that has sprung from a crevasse, since the rains and snows have fallen. Whatever it may be it is a phenomenon that has never been observed here before.